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After which,

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*My Lords, and Gentlemen,*

By virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, under the Great Seal, to us and other Lords directed, and now read, we do, in Her Majesty's Name, and in obedience to Her Commands, prorogue this Parliament to Saturday the Thirty-first day of October next, to be then here holden; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Saturday the Thirty-first day of October next.

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## THE CABINET.

| | |
|---|---|
| First Lord of the Treasury (Prime Minister) | Right Hon. William Ewart Gladstone. |
| Lord Chancellor | Right Hon. Earl of Selborne. |
| Lord Lieutenant of Ireland | Right Hon. Earl Spencer, K.G. |
| Lord President of the Council | Right Hon. Lord Carlingford. |
| Lord Privy Seal and First Commissioner of Works and Public Buildings | Right Hon. Earl of Rosebery. |
| Chancellor of the Exchequer | Right Hon. H. C. E. Childers. |
| Secretary of State, Home Department | Right Hon. Sir William V. Harcourt. |
| Secretary of State, Foreign Department | Right Hon. Earl Granville, K.G. |
| Secretary of State for the Colonies | Right Hon. Earl of Derby. |
| Secretary of State for War | Right Hon. Marquess of Hartington. |
| Secretary of State for India | Right Hon. Earl of Kimberley. |
| First Lord of the Admiralty | Right Hon. Earl of Northbrook. |
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| President of the Board of Trade | Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain. |
| President of the Local Government Board | Right Hon. Sir Charles W. Dilke. Bt. |
| Postmaster General | Right Hon. George John Shaw Lefevre. |

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| Solicitor General | Alexander Asher, Esq. |

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| Lord Chancellor | Right Hon. John Naish. |
| Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant | Right Hon. Henry Campbell-Bannerman. |
| Attorney General | Samuel Walker, Esq. |
| Solicitor General | The Macdermott. |

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| Lord Chamberlain | Right Hon. Earl of Kenmare. |
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| Comptroller of the Household | Right Hon. Lord Kensington. |
| Vice Chamberlain of the Household | Right Hon. Lord Charles Bruce. |
| Captain of the Corps of Gentlemen at Arms | Right Hon. Lord Carrington. |
| Captain of the Yeomen of the Guard | Right Hon. Lord Monson. |
| Master of the Buckhounds | Right Hon. Earl of Cork and Orrery. |
| Chief Equerry and Clerk Marshal | Lord Alfred H. Paget. |
| Mistress of the Robes | Her Grace the Duchess of Roxburghe. |

# THE MINISTRY

OF THE MOST NOBLE THE MARQUESS OF SALISBURY, K.G.,

AS FORMED ON ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE JUNE-JULY, 1885.

## THE CABINET.

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| Lord Chancellor of England | Right Hon. Lord Halsbury. |
| Lord Chancellor of Ireland | Right Hon. Lord Ashbourne. |
| Lord Lieutenant of Ireland | Right Hon. Earl of Carnarvon. |
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| Secretary of State for War | Right Hon. William Henry Smith. |
| Secretary of State for India | Right Hon. Lord Randolph Churchill. |
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| Postmaster General | Right Hon. Lord John Manners, G.C.B. |
| Vice President of the Committee of Council on Education | Right Hon. Edward Stanhope. |

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| President of the Local Government Board | Right Hon. Arthur James Balfour. |
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| Secretary to the Board of Trade | Baron Henry de Worms. |
| Secretary to the Local Government Board | Right Hon. Earl Brownlow. |
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| Under Secretary for Colonies | Right Hon. Earl of Dunraven. |
| Under Secretary for War | Right Hon. Viscount Bury. |
| Under Secretary for India | Right Hon. Lord Harris. |
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| Lord Advocate | John Hay Athol Macdonald, Q.C. |
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| Lord Chancellor | Right Hon. Lord Ashbourne. |
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| Lord Chamberlain | Right Hon. Earl of Lathom. |
| Master of the Horse | Right Hon. Earl of Bradford. |
| Treasurer of the Household | Right Hon. Viscount Folkestone. |
| Comptroller of the Household | Right Hon. Lord Arthur Hill. |
| Vice Chamberlain of the Household | Right Hon. Viscount Lewisham. |
| Captain of the Corps of Gentlemen at Arms | Right Hon. Earl of Coventry. |
| Captain of the Yeomen of the Guard | Right Hon. Viscount Barrington. |
| Master of the Buckhounds | Most Noble the Marquess of Waterford. |
| Chief Equerry and Clerk Marshal | Lord Alfred H. Paget. |
| Mistress of the Robes | Her Grace the Duchess of Buccleuch. |

# HANSARD'S
# PARLIAMENTARY DEBATES,

IN THE

*SIXTH SESSION* OF THE *TWENTY-SECOND PARLIAMENT* OF THE
UNITED KINGDOM OF *GREAT BRITAIN* AND *IRELAND*,
APPOINTED TO MEET 29 APRIL, 1880, IN THE FORTY-THIRD
YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

## HER MAJESTY QUEEN VICTORIA.

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NINTH AND LAST VOLUME OF SESSION 1884-5.

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## HOUSE OF LORDS,

*Thursday*, 13*th August*, 1885.

MINUTES.]—PUBLIC BILL—*Second Reading*—Summary Jurisdiction (Term of Imprisonment) * (202), *discharged.*

### PREVENTION OF CRIMES AMENDMENT BILL [*Lords*.]—(No. 249.)
### (*The Earl of Milltown.*)

CONSIDERATION OF COMMONS' AMENDMENTS.

Commons' Amendments *considered* (according to Order).

Page 1, line 13, leave out from ("duty") to end of Clause, and insert—

("Provided, that in cases to which the said recited Act is extended by this Act, the person convicted shall not be liable to a greater penalty than five pounds, or, in default of payment, to be imprisoned with or without hard labour for a longer term than two months,")

—the first Amendment, *agreed to.*

After Clause 2, insert the following clause:—

(Application of Act.)

"CLAUSE (A.) This Act shall not apply to Ireland,"

—the next Amendment.

THE EARL OF MILLTOWN said, this measure presented an admirable instance of the perfection to which the system of absolute block had been carried in the other House. The Bill, which consisted of two clauses only, had received both this year and last the unanimous assent of their Lordships; but though it went down to the other House early this Session its progress was delayed there till the day before yesterday, owing to the objection of one hon. and learned Member, with whom ultimately he had had to effect a compromise. The object of the measure was simply to extend to cases of obstructing the police in the execution of their duty the provision of the Prevention of Crimes Act which gave summary jurisdiction to magistrates in cases of assaults on the police which were not of a sufficiently serious character to warrant their being sent for trial. He now begged to move that their Lordships disagree with the clauses excluding Ireland from the operation of the Bill. The clause was inserted in the Bill on the suggestion of Mr. Healy at an early hour in the morning. There were many people in Ireland who were anxious for the Bill to apply to that part of the Kingdom, and there was no reason at all why it should not.

*Moved*, "That this House doth disagree with the Commons in the said Amendment."—(*The Earl of Milltown.*)

Motion *agreed to.*

A Committee appointed to prepare Reasons to be offered to the Commons for the Lords disagreeing to the said Amendment: The Committee to meet *forthwith.*

Subsequently,

Report from the Committee of the Reasons to be offered to the Commons for the Lords disagreeing to one of the Amendments made by the Commons to the said Bill; read, and *agreed to:* And a message sent to the Commons to return the said Bill, with the Amendment and Reasons.

## LAND PURCHASE (IRELAND) BILL [*Lords.*]—(No. 250.)

(*The Lord Chancellor of Ireland.*)

CONSIDERATION OF COMMONS' AMENDMENTS.

Commons' Amendments *considered* (according to Order).

THE LORD CHANCELLOR OF IRELAND (Lord ASHBOURNE), in moving that the House do agree with the Commons' Amendments to the Bill, said, that he thought their Lordships could not object to any of the Amendments, which were only alterations in matters of machinery, and would, in his opinion, make the Bill work more smoothly.

*Moved*, "That this House doth agree with the Commons in the said Amendments."—(*The Lord Chancellor of Ireland.*)

Motion *agreed to.*

## RIVER THAMES (No. 2) BILL.—(No. 251.)

(*The Lord Mount Temple.*)

CONSIDERATION OF COMMONS' AMENDMENTS.

Commons' Amendments *considered* (according to Order).

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## HOUSING OF THE WORKING CLASSES (ENGLAND) BILL [*Lords.*]—(No. 252.)

(*The Marquess of Salisbury.*)

CONSIDERATION OF COMMONS' AMENDMENTS.

Commons' Amendments *considered* (according to Order).

THE MARQUESS OF SALISBURY, in rising to move that the House do agree with the Commons' Amendments, said, that the Bill had been discussed at great length, both in that House and in the Commons, and some of the points formerly objected to by the noble and learned Lord opposite (Lord Bramwell) were also objected to very strongly in the Commons. Amendments had been introduced in the Commons, the result of which would be to make the Bill more acceptable to the noble and learned Lord's feelings. For himself, he (the Marquess of Salisbury) did not think these Amendments were improvements; but, as it was desirable that the Bill should pass, he would move that they be agreed to.

*Moved*, "That this House doth agree with the Commons in the said Amendments."—(*The Marquess of Salisbury.*)

LORD BRAMWELL said, that the Amendments did, indeed, make the Bill more agreeable to his feelings and to his opinions, which were those which the noble Marquess held three years ago. On that occasion he had the honour of expressing the same opinions; and if he might not venture to say that he had the support of the noble Marquess, then he would say that he was one of the supporters of the noble Marquess in the discussion on the Agricultural Holdings Bill. There was one alteration made by the Commons in this Bill which he thought so foolish and so mischievous that he must ask their Lordships not to agree to it. One of the clauses provided that in the letting of a house there should be an implied undertaking that the house was fit for habitation. To that the Commons had added—"Notwithstanding any contract or stipulation to the contrary between the landlord and the tenant." Such an alteration was, to his mind, most objectionable. The clause did not apply only to the case of a man knowingly letting a house unfit for habitation—it also applied to cases in which the landlord did not know of the condition of the house. If it only applied to the wilful letting of a house not fit to be inhabited he should rejoice at the clause, because he would punish the man who knowingly let a house in an unhealthy condition, just as he would punish a man who sold food that was adulterated and not fit for human use. But the clause, as it stood, would apply equally to a man who might be quite innocent in the matter. It was contrary to the ordinary principle of *caveat emptor*—that each man should examine and decide for himself. What justification could there be for that? The landlord might know no more about the condition of the house than the tenant; the tenant, indeed, by having formerly resided in the locality, or otherwise, might know more about it than the landlord. The clause was altogether an unwarranted interference with freedom of contract, and would have an injurious effect even on the working classes, for whose benefit it was intended. A working man—a bricklayer, for example —might at present say—"I know all about this house. I know there is a drain wrong; but if you will give it me cheap I will put it all right." If the Bill passed as it stood such an arrangement could not be made, for if it were made the tenant could afterwards turn round on his landlord and say the contract was void, because the landlord was responsible by the law of the land for the sanitary condition of the house. Then, again, the tenant was likely to be the first to find out whether there was anything wrong. From indolence and indifference he took no notice; somebody might fall ill and die, and the first knowledge the landlord might have of anything being wrong in the sanitary arrangements of the house would be a claim by the tenant, who could come and say—"You were bound by law to let me that house in a sanitary condition." Men might come into Court with their families dressed in mourning, and the jury would very likely say—"Oh, there must have been something wrong; the landlord is evidently a rich man; he ought to have done something for his tenant;" and so a verdict would be given for the plaintiff. The case was not imaginary; the thing had happened—that was, the claim had been made in Court. Supposing even that the House was not in an insanitary condition, that would not prevent claims being made against the landlord; and, even if the landlord succeeded in resisting the action, in many cases he would not recover his costs. He would point out, further, that if landlords found themselves liable for such claims, well or ill-founded, they might depend upon it that, acting on ordinary economic principles, they would indemnify themselves by raising the rents. The provision would also tend to make landlords object to let their houses to people with large families, for every additional person in a house increased his risk. When the Agricultural Holdings Bill was before the House the noble Marquess objected to a clause analogous to this, forbidding contracts which landlords and tenants might make out of the Bill. The only difference between that Act and the present measure was that the one applied to farmers and the other to working men. He protested against this mischievous, grandmotherly legislation. The best thing both for farmers and working men was to teach them to look after themselves. They were quite able to do so.

Lord DENMAN said that, being the owner of several small houses, he thought it was the duty of every landlord to know the condition of his houses. If a nuisance arose, the tenant was first called upon; and if he neglected his duty, the landlord was even now obliged by the local Sanitary Authority to make the place healthy.

The Marquess of SALISBURY said, the noble and learned Lord opposite (Lord Bramwell) was a dangerous opponent, as one was apt to be convinced in listening to him. He (the Marquess of Salisbury), himself, had not noticed the effect of the words complained of, and did not know why they had been introduced; but, believing that, if they did not do more harm than good, they would be easily evaded by those who desired to evade them, and be productive of a considerable amount of litigation, he would move to disagree with the words—namely, "notwithstanding any contract or stipulation to the contrary."

Amendments, as far as page 3, line ending with the words ("classed a"), *agreed to.*

On the Motion of The Marquess of Salisbury, the following Amendment:—In Clause 13, page 8, line 35, leave out ("an unfurnished") and insert ("a"), and after ("implied") insert ("notwithstanding any contract or stipulation to the contrary"), *disagreed to.*

Remaining Amendments *agreed to.*

A Committee *appointed* to prepare a Reason for the Lords disagreeing to the said Amendment: The Committee to meet *forthwith.*

### LABOURERS (IRELAND) (No. 2) BILL.—(No. 253.)

(*The Marquess of Waterford.*)

CONSIDERATION OF COMMONS' REASONS.

Commons' Amendments to Lords Amendments, and Commons' Reasons for disagreeing to certain of the Lords Amendments *considered* (according to Order).

The Marquess of WATERFORD said, the Commons had sent to their Lordships the following statement in respect to the Bill:—

> "The Commons disagree to the Amendment made by the Lords in page 5, line 12, for the following reason:—Because the owner having under all circumstances a power to petition against a scheme, it would place unnecessary difficulties in the way of such schemes if a petition could also be presented by such a small number of ratepayers as six. The Commons disagree to the Amendment made by the Lords in page 8 (by leaving out lines 24 and 25), for the following reason:—Because the former clauses of the Bill are leases upon the principle of giving the local authority a leasing power as well as a power to purchase. The Commons disagree to the Amendment made by the Lords in page 9, line 36, for the following reason:—Because the sanitary authority having the means of the local knowledge is the best judge of the area of taxation. The Commons propose to amend the Amendment made by the Lords in page 8, line 10, by inserting in lieu of words struck out by the Lords the following words:—('Or may purchase by agreement any existing cottage, or by agreement may purchase and allot to the occupant of any such existing cottage, half-an-acre of land.') The Commons propose to amend Clause A, inserted by the Lords, by inserting after 'lands,' in line 8, the words 'in the same locality.'"

He would move that the House acquiesce in the alterations made in the Bill by the Commons. His objections to the change made by the Commons on page 8 of the Bill were obviated by the insertion of the words "by agreement." The Amendment to Clause A provided that landlords offering land in exchange for the land proposed to be taken, the land so offered should be in the same locality.

*Moved,* "That this House doth agree with the Commons in the Amendments made to their Lordships' Amendments, and do not insist on the said Amendments to which the Commons have disagreed."—(*The Marquess of Waterford.*)

Lord VENTRY said, that he was not disposed to offer further objection to the Bill.

Motion *agreed to.*

House adjourned during pleasure.

House resumed.

### EDUCATIONAL ENDOWMENTS (IRELAND) BILL [*Lords*].

(*The Lord Chancellor of Ireland.*)

CONSIDERATION OF COMMONS' AMENDMENTS.

Bill returned from the Commons with Amendments: The said Amendments *considered* (on Motion) and *agreed to.*

### HOUSING OF THE WORKING CLASSES (ENGLAND) BILL [*Lords*].

(*The Marquess of Salisbury.*)

Returned from the Commons with the Amendment to which the Lords have disagreed, *not insisted on.*

### PREVENTION OF CRIMES AMENDMENT BILL [*Lords*].

(*The Earl of Milltown.*)

CONSIDERATION OF COMMONS' REASON.

Returned from the Commons with the Amendment to which the Lords have disagreed, *insisted on,* for which they assign a Reason: The said Reason *considered* (on Motion).

The Earl of KINTORE said, their Lordships were in a somewhat difficult position, because the noble Earl (the Earl of Milltown) who was in charge of the Bill, and had induced their Lordships to disagree with the Commons' Amendment, was not in his place to advise them what to do. As it appeared, however, that it would be a breach of faith on the part of the Government to depart from the Commons' Amendment, he would move that their Lordships do not insist further.

*Moved*, "That this House doth agree with the Amendment on which the Commons have insisted."—(*The Earl of Kintore.*)

Motion *agreed to.*

House adjourned at quarter past Four o'clock, till To-morrow, Two o'clock.

## HOUSE OF COMMONS,

*Thursday*, 13*th August*, 1885.

The House met at Three of the clock.

MINUTES.]—PUBLIC BILL—*Considered as amended — Re-Committed—Committee—Report —Considered as amended—Third Reading—* Educational Endowments (Ireland) [176], and *passed.*

## *QUESTIONS.*

### NAVY—COASTGUARDS (IRELAND).

MR. DAWSON asked the First Lord of the Admiralty, Whether it is a fact that the Coastguards in Ireland, who were removed from their ordinary stations for torpedo practice, had one shilling per day deducted from their pay for their support; and, whether this deduction will be remitted?

THE SECRETARY TO THE TREASURY (Sir HENRY HOLLAND): Chief officers and men of the Coastguard generally are, when serving afloat, subject to a deduction of 1*s.* from the subsistence of 1*s.* 4*d.* a-day which they receive when on shore, as when on board ship they are provisioned from the ship's stores. No deviation from this practice took place as regards the Coastguard in Ireland who were embarked this year. This deduction cannot be remitted.

### REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT, 1884—POLLING PLACES IN CO. ROSCOMMON.

MR. SEXTON (for MR. O'KELLY) asked the Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, Whether it is true that voters, living within a mile of Strokestown, county Roscommon, will be compelled to record their votes in the town of Lanesborough, a distance of seven miles, instead of recording them as hitherto in Strokestown; and, whether he will consider the convenience of establishing a polling booth at Tarmonbarry?

THE CHIEF SECRETARY (Sir WILLIAM HART DYKE): The Parliamentary boundary of Roscommon throws part of the former polling district of Strokestown into the Southern Division of the county, and this portion is now attached to the polling district of Lanesborough. No better arrangement can be made. I understand Rooskey is a more convenient polling place for the whole district than Tarmonbarry, and there could not well be polling places at both towns.

### RELIEF OF DISTRESS (IRELAND) ACT —NON-PAYMENT OF SEED RATES.

MR. SEXTON (for MR. O'KELLY) asked the Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, Whether ratepayers who paid on or before the 1st of July all Poor Rates then due will have a right to vote, whether or not they have paid the last instalment of the Seed Rate then due; and, whether ratepayers who tendered all Poor Rates due at the proper time will have their right to vote disallowed by the refusal of the Poor Rate collectors to receive the Poor Rate without the Seed Rate instalment?

THE SECRETARY TO THE TREASURY (Sir HENRY HOLLAND): I am advised that non-payment of seed rate has the same effect as non-payment of poor rate. The Act of Parliament requires the seed rate to be added to the poor rate and collected therewith, and the collector is justified in refusing to accept the one without the other.

### ARMY—ARMS OF THE YEOMANRY.

MR. WINGFIELD DIGBY asked the Secretary of State for War, Whether he will take note of the fact that the Yeomanry Cavalry is still armed with the Snider carbine; and, whether, when the exigencies of the State allows of it, he will take into consideration the advisability of supplying the Martini-Henry carbine to the Yeomanry, which Force has, in the last few years, made great efforts to improve the shooting of its members?

THE SECRETARY OF STATE (Mr. W. H. SMITH): I hope that arrangements will be sufficiently advanced to allow of the issue of Martini-Henry carbines to the Yeomanry Cavalry before the close of the present financial year.

### MERCHANT SHIPPING—LOAD LINE COMMITTEE—IRREGULAR PUBLICATION OF THE REPORT.

MR. PULESTON asked the Secretary to the Board of Trade, If he can give the House any information respecting the Report of the Load Line Committee, and state when it will be published?

THE SECRETARY TO THE BOARD (Baron HENRY DE WORMS): In reply to the hon. Member's Question, I can only say that the Report of the Load Line Committee, which has already been presented to Parliament, will be circulated with the least possible delay. It is now in the hands of the printers. I fear I can give the House no further information on the subject.

MR. CALLAN: I wish to ask the Secretary to the Board of Trade, whether his attention has been drawn to the fact that the Report of the Load Line Committee has been published exclusively in one of the London newspapers this morning; whether that Report has been supplied with his sanction or without his knowledge; and, whether, if it has been supplied without his knowledge, he will institute an investigation as to the culprit who supplied the Report to one newspaper exclusively—a practice which, although habitual with the late Government, is strongly to be deprecated by their Successors?

THE SECRETARY TO THE BOARD: My attention has been drawn to the fact that this Report has been published in *The Times* of this morning. I am at a loss to understand how it was published in *The Times*. I can only say that there are only two copies in existence. One copy was sent, under seal, in a despatch box, immediately it was received, to Sir Thomas Farrer, who was cruising off the Coast of Scotland; the other copy was sent direct to the Queen's Printers. So strictly have the rules been observed to prevent the premature publication of official Papers, that on inquiry made on behalf of the Board of Trade to the Queen's Printers, with the view of obtaining a copy, they sent back an answer saying that they were unable to supply one without orders from the Treasury. He mentioned these circumstances, in order to show the hon. Member that the publication which had taken place was not in any way due to a fault on the part of the Board of Trade.

MR. CALLAN: Will the hon. Gentleman institute inquiries to find out the delinquent?

THE SECRETARY TO THE BOARD: I shall be happy to make inquiries at the Board of Trade; but I do not think I can add anything to the information which I have given to the hon. Member.

MR. PULESTON: Is the Report which has appeared in *The Times* the Report of the Committee.

THE SECRETARY TO THE BOARD: I have not seen the original Report of the Committee, and therefore I cannot say whether they are identical.

MR. PULESTON: I understood the hon. Gentleman to say that he has not seen the Report. Is it the practice of the Department to send a Report to the Queen's Printers before the Department has perused it?

THE SECRETARY TO THE BOARD: The Report was sent to the Duke of Richmond in proof, and then, on its return, it was sent direct to the Queen's Printers. It did not pass through my hands.

### INDIA (BENGAL)—THE EXCISE LAWS.

SIR GEORGE CAMPBELL asked the Secretary of State for India, Whether any Reports have been received at the India Office regarding the inquiry which the Government of Bengal was understood to be making into the change of late years from the in-still to the out-still system of taxing spirituous liquors; and, whether any information has been elicited tending to justify the suspicion entertained by some that the recent extraordinary increase in the Excise Revenue is in some measure due to changes of the character alluded to in having the effect of cheapening and promoting the consumption of intoxicating liquors. The hon. Member added that, as the noble Lord was not in his place, he might, perhaps, be permitted to answer the Question himself. He did not expect that the noble Lord would come down to the House for the purpose of answering this one Question; but he had been furnished with a reply which was of some public interest, and with the permission of the House he would read it. The hon. Gentleman was proceeding to read the reply, when——

Mr. SPEAKER, interrupting, pointed out that the course about to be taken was contrary to the practice of the House.

Sir George Campbell thereupon resumed his seat; but upon the noble Lord the Secretary of State for India subsequently taking his seat he rose again, and asked the Question standing in his name on the Paper.

The SECRETARY of STATE for INDIA (Lord Randolph Churchill), in reply, said, he was sorry not to have been in his place at the first; but the hour at which the House met to-day was so unusual and inconvenient. A copy of the Report of the Commission to which the hon. Member alluded as to Excise administration in Bengal had lately been received; but they had not yet received the orders made on the Report of that Commission by the Lieutenant Governor of Bengal or the Government of India. The Commission appeared to consider that the change of the out-still system was one amongst several causes of the increased consumption of liquor in Bengal in recent years; and he might add, for the information of the hon. Member, that it was not at all impossible that the administration of the Excise Laws in India might be one of the subjects into which the Committee of Inquiry, which they hoped would be appointed next year, would make some more or less complete investigation.

## POST OFFICE—DELIVERY OF LETTERS ON BANK HOLIDAYS.

Mr. BRODRICK asked the Postmaster General, Whether the delivery and despatch of letters on Bank Holidays in rural Post Offices is the same as that on Sundays; and, if not, whether rural postmasters are justified in adopting the Sunday rules on Bank Holidays?

The SECRETARY to the TREASURY (Sir Henry Holland): My noble Friend, who is unavoidably absent, has asked me to answer this Question on his behalf. The delivery and despatch of letters in rural districts is not quite the same on Bank Holidays as on Sundays, the rule being, whether there is a Sunday delivery or not, to make one delivery and despatch, but no more, on Bank Holidays, unless the inhabitants make a special application to have none. Inquiry shall be made into any case in which it may appear to my hon. Friend that the rule has been departed from.

## ARMY—THE SOUDAN EXPEDITION—RETURN OF THE GUARDS—DETENTION IN CYPRUS.

Mr. BRODRICK asked the Secretary of State for War, Whether it is now possible for the Government to fix a term for the detention of the Brigade of Guards in Cyprus; and, whether the state of public affairs would justify their immediate return to England?

The SECRETARY of STATE (Mr. W. H. Smith): I am sorry that I am not in a position to tell my hon. Friend the date at which the Guards will return home; but I can assure him that they will not be detained in Cyprus a day longer than is necessary for the public interest.

## POST OFFICE (IRELAND)—WEST OF IRELAND MAIL SERVICE.

Mr. SEXTON asked the Financial Secretary to the Treasury, Whether the arrangement for the improved mail service between Dublin and the West of Ireland has been completed; and, if so, on or about what date the new service may be expected to begin?

The SECRETARY to the TREASURY (Sir Henry Holland): I think I can safely say that a new contract for the conveyance of the mails on the Midland Great Western Railway of Ireland will come into force on the 1st of October next.

## EGYPT (THE SOUDAN)—THE GARRISON OF KASSALA.

Sir WALTER B. BARTTELOT: I wish to ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Whether he is able to make any statement with regard to the accuracy of certain reports in the newspapers this morning that the garrison of Kassala is in a fair way of being relieved? I am sure if such a statement can be made it will relieve the country of a very great anxiety which has prevailed with regard to the fate of that garrison.

THE CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCHEQUER: If I could have had Notice of the Question, perhaps I might have been able to answer it more satisfactorily. There are, I think, some hopes that the relief of the garrison of Kassala will be effected; but beyond that I do not think I am justified in saying anything.

### ARMY (AUXILIARY FORCES)—ENROLMENT OF THE MILITIA—EXPIRATION OF SERVICE.

MR. M'COAN asked the Secretary of State for War, Whether he could state the time at which the Militia battalions now embodied would be released from their services?

THE SECRETARY OF STATE (Mr. W. H. SMITH) said, he had replied to a similar Question the previous day. It was not in his power to indicate the date at which the Militia would be disembodied. The Government had every desire to do so as early as possible; but they could not name a date.

### LAW AND JUSTICE (IRELAND)—THE SALVATION ARMY RIOTS AT PORTADOWN.

MR. MOLLOY (for Mr. O'BRIEN) asked the Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, Whether, in connection with the recent Salvation Army riots at Portadown, thirty Catholics and sixteen of the opposite faction were prosecuted; whether the prosecutions were so managed by the clerk of the Town Commissioners that the Catholics were tried first in batches, so that all the persons charged on the Salvation Army side could be examined against them, while the Salvationists charged with riot were enabled to be examined in each other's defence, with the result that several of the Salvationists identified by the police as rioters escaped punishment; whether the riot of the 12th of July was caused by the Salvationist faction being permitted to traverse the Catholic quarter with bands and party cries, notwithstanding an arrangement come to by Mr. Hamilton, R.M., forbidding the Orange bands to parade in that neighbourhood; whether, in spite of the warning conveyed by the riot of the 12th July, Orange bands accompanied by a crowd of the lowest roughs were again, on 6th August, permitted under escorts of police to march through the Catholic quarter playing Party tunes and cursing the Pope, and otherwise insulting the Catholic inhabitants; and, whether, in view of the repeated complaints of the defenceless condition of the Catholic inhabitants of Portadown, the resident magistrate and police officers will be specially instructed to enforce the Law?

THE CHIEF SECRETARY (Sir WILLIAM HART DYKE): In a telegram which I have had from the Inspector General of Constabulary to-day he states that he has not had time to make such full inquiries as would enable him to express an opinion as to the manner in which these prosecutions at Portadown were brought, or as to how far the police were responsible. Without going into particulars, then, I will confine myself to saying that the case is one for full inquiry, and the County Inspector has been directed to investigate it himself. The prosecutions appear to have been conducted, and the summonses issued, by the Clerk of the Town Commissioners.

### REGISTRATION OF VOTERS (IRELAND) ACT—REVISION COURTS.

MR. MOLLOY (for Mr. PARNELL) asked the Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, Whether his attention has been drawn to the fact that the arrangements for revision courts for the county of Fermanagh, recently published in *The Dublin Gazette*, practically leave the entire district of Fermanagh south of Lough Erne, and comprising the baronies of Knockninny, Clanawley, and Magheraboy only one revision court, that of Letterbreen, which lies in the middle of an Orange district, and within five miles of Enniskillen, where another court is appointed to be held; whether, in consequence of this arrangement, many persons from the Nationalist baronies of Knockninny and Clanawley on the one side will have to travel fifteen miles without a Railway to reach their revision court, and the people of the barony of Magheraboy on the other side will be put to similar inconvenience; and, whether, to remedy this state of things, arrangements will be made to establish at least two additional revision courts, one in the petty sessions town of Derrylin, in the barony of Knockninny, and the other in the petty sessions and market town of Derrygonnelly, in the barony of Magheraboy?

THE CHIEF SECRETARY (Sir WILLIAM HART DYKE): Yes, Sir; arrangements will be made to have Revision Courts at Derrylin and Derrygonnelly.

### THE IRISH LAND COMMISSION (COURT OF APPEAL)—CASES LISTED AT KILLARNEY.

MR. MOLLOY (for Mr. O'BRIEN) asked the Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, Why twelve appeals, listed for hearing before the Land Commission at Killarney on 10th August, were omitted from the amended list; and, whether the tenants in these cases can be re-imbursed the expenses they have been put to in preparing evidence and employing valuers for the August hearing on the faith of the list originally circulated by the Secretary of the Land Commission?

THE CHIEF SECRETARY (Sir WILLIAM HART DYKE): The Land Commissioners inform me that cases were omitted from their amended list, which was sent out nearly a month before the date fined for the hearing of the appeals, in order to reduce it to the number which would probably be heard in the time at their disposal.

### LAW AND JUSTICE (IRELAND)—WHITEBOY OFFENCES IN KERRY.

MR. MOLLOY (for Mr. O'BRIEN) asked the Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, Whether the attention of the Lord Lieutenant has been drawn to the fact that a young man named Timothy O'Rourke, convicted with three others of a Whiteboy offence in Kerry in 1880, is at present in a dangerous condition of health in Mountjoy Convict Prison; and, whether, considering his state of health, the punishment he has already endured, and the fact that the three men convicted with him have been released, His Excellency will recommend that the clemency of the Crown be extended to O'Rourke, on condition of his leaving the Country?

THE CHIEF SECRETARY (Sir WILLIAM HART DYKE): The convict referred to, Timothy O'Rourke, was sentenced in 1882 to 15 years' penal servitude. The other men who were convicted with him, and who have since been released on licence, received shorter sentences, and representations in their favour were made to the Lord Lieutenant. No such representations have been made on behalf of O'Rourke, who was medically examined yesterday, and certified to be in good health.

### EGYPT — THE CHAMBER OF NOTABLES.

SIR GEORGE CAMPBELL asked the Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, Whether he has yet received any further information of what is going on in Egypt, especially what is the constitution of the Chamber of Notables which has been sitting there; what opinion they expressed regarding the new loan of £9,000,000 added to the burdens of Egypt; what other matters have been laid before them; and, what are the arrangements (as reported in the newspapers) under which they are said to have appointed a committee to superintend the expenditure of the sum to be devoted to irrigation?

THE UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE (Mr. BOURKE): I have every reason to suppose that the General Assembly is constituted in accordance with the provisions of Article 41 of the Organic Law. It should consist of 84 Members —namely, eight Ministers, 30 Members of the Legislative Council, and 46 additional Members, who are elected. The official Report of the meeting of the General Assembly not having been published when the last mail received left Egypt, we have not a copy of that Report. The President's address to the Khedive on the occasion of the reception of the Members of the Assembly on the 29th ultimo expressed a general approval of the loan, asked for details respecting its conditions, and stated that the Assembly wished to associate itself with the Government with regard to the grant for irrigation works. The Assembly, according to custom, was not open to the public, but I understand that there was some discussion respecting the mode of applying the sum for irrigation; and subsequently Colonel Moncrieff furnished explanations to certain Notables, which appeared to them satisfactory.

### REGISTRATION OF PARLIAMENTARY ELECTORS (IRELAND) — DIFFICULTIES OF APPEAL.

Mr. SEXTON asked the Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, Whether, in view of appeals by considerable bodies of claimants and other persons interested in Parliamentary Registration, and of the fact that, under existing arrangements, numbers of poor persons will be obliged to travel distances varying from twenty to fifty miles, or forfeit their right to vote, the Lord Lieutenant will cause Revision Courts to be held at Keady (Mid-Armagh, for which Division only two Courts are fixed), Donananagh, and Drumguin, county Tyrone, and Carndonagh and Pettigo, county Donegal; whether the Lord Lieutenant, in dealing with applications for Revision Courts, will have regard particularly to the claims of such districts as those named, in which the bulk of claimants are very poor, the time required by long journeys in excess of what they could spare from labour, and the difficulty increased by the absence of regular means of communication; and, up to what date the Lord Lieutenant will receive applications on this subject?

The CHIEF SECRETARY (Sir William Hart Dyke): Yes, Sir; Courts will be established at all the places mentioned by the hon. Member, and, in addition, at Bunbeg in Donegal. Having regard to the fact that an Order in Council has to be passed, and that at least five days' notice must be given of the holding of each Court, applications could not well be entertained after Saturday next.

### PAWNBROKERS (IRELAND)—OFFENCES AGAINST THE PAWNBROKERS ACT.

Mr. SEXTON (for Mr. O'Kelly) asked the Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, Is it a fact that William Hunter, of Smithfield, Belfast, carries on the business of auctioneer and appraiser at above address, he being a person appointed to the office of appraiser over the pawnbrokers of county Antrim by the Grand Jury, and, in contravention of the Act, carries on the pawnbroking business at North Queen Street and Shankhill Road, also the business of money lender and bill discounter; is it a fact that Joseph Anderson, being appointed as above, manages a pawn office, and carries on the business of auctioneer in Smithfield, Belfast, the owner of said pawn office residing in Gilford, county Down; is it true that those men do not conduct their business as directed by the Act, viz. sending notice to owners of goods before the sale, and that they have not nor do they keep a record of the sales for the satisfaction of the owners, as required by the Act, the goods in no instance being appraised; is it a fact that Samuel Trimble, deputy treasurer for the county Antrim, carries on the business of a pawnbroker on the Falls Road, Belfast, and is it in conformity with the Act that pawnbrokers can carry on their business by deputy; is it a fact that James M'Keoron, of Royal Avenue, Belfast, carries on the business of pawnbroker at above address, taking in pledges before 10 o'clock a.m. and after 4 p.m. in the Winter half year, and 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. in the Summer half year, also illegally disposes of pledges over the counter, he not being a lawfully qualified person for the disposal of pawnbrokers' pledges; and, by what means does the Marshal of the City of Dublin take to ascertain if the returns made to Parliament are correct in connection with the pawnbroking trade?

The CHIEF SECRETARY (Sir William Hart Dyke): I am informed that the statements contained in the first and second paragraphs of the Question are substantially accurate; but I am not aware that the persons mentioned do not conduct their business as directed by the Act. I am informed that Samuel Trimble does not carry on the business of pawnbroker in Belfast. I believe that James M'Keoron conducts his business during the same hours as the other pawnbrokers in Belfast, and that he disposes of pledges over the counter. I am not aware of the means taken by the City Marshal to verify his Parliamentary Returns.

## NATIONAL SCHOOL TEACHERS' (IRELAND) RESIDENCE ACT—ADVANCES FROM, AND REPAYMENTS TO, THE BOARD OF WORKS.

MR. LEAMY (for Mr. HEALY) asked the Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, Is he aware of the inconvenience and even hardship which the present system for repayment of the Board of Works advances, made under the National School Teachers' Residence Act, entails on managers and teachers who have been induced to adopt the provisions of the Act; and is it the case that the half-yearly repayments are about equal to two-thirds the quarterly salary of these teachers; and, whether the proper authorities can arrange that in future it will be sufficient for the managers to send forward to the Board of Works each term the maximum rent chargeable to the teachers who occupy the residences, leaving the remaining half of the instalment in each case to be collected in one sum by the Board of Works from the National Education Board, who now refund to the managers one-half of each instalment previously paid to the Board of Works?

THE CHIEF SECRETARY (Sir WILLIAM HART DYKE): The hon. and learned Member put a similar Question in November last, and I understand arrangements are being made for obviating the inconvenience to which he refers.

## LAW AND POLICE (ENGLAND AND WALES)—SUPPRESSION OF DISORDERLY HOUSES—CASE OF MRS. JEFFRIES.

MR. CALLAN asked the Secretary of State for the Home Department, Whether, in view of the mass of fresh evidence and the new and material facts disclosed in connection with the Jeffries case, he would grant an inquiry by an independent tribunal into the dismissal of Inspector Minahan?

THE SECRETARY OF STATE (Sir R. ASSHETON CROSS), in reply, said, that, while he could make no promise, he could assure the hon. Member that any Memorial with regard to this or any other case would receive his best attention.

## ARMY—TROOPS IN EGYPT—GRATUITIES FOR THE SOUDAN CAMPAIGN.

THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR WAR (Mr. W. H. SMITH): I beg, Sir, to ask the permission of the House to make a short statement with reference to the rewards to be given to the troops recently employed in Egypt and the Soudan. Her Majesty's Government has decided to grant to the troops employed in the Nile Expedition and in the active operations at Suakin a special gratuity, similar in character to those allowed after the Tel-el-Kebir Campaign and the Soudan operations of 1884. The gratuity for the Nile Expedition will be confined to the officers and men who advanced beyond Wady Halfa on the Nile, and that for Suakin to those who were on shore there between March 1 and May 14, 1885. In consideration of the peculiarly arduous nature of the duty imposed upon all ranks serving with the Nile Expedition, the amount of gratuity has in this case been fixed at £5 for the men, with a proportionate increase according to rank for the officers and non-commissioned officers employed. The unit for the Suakin gratuity is the same as was given in 1884—namely, £2, and with the same comparative results to the higher ranks. The War Office is in communication with the India Office as to whether the Indian Contingent and Native followers shall receive the usual donation batta under Indian Regulations, or a special gratuity upon the same principle as that given to the British troops. It is estimated that the cost of these gratuities will be covered by the Vote of Credit.

COLONEL KING-HARMAN: May I ask whether Her Majesty's Government have decided to issue medals to the troops in connection with the Campaign.

THE SECRETARY OF STATE: The arrangements already made for the issue of Egyptian medals to those of the troops who have not already received them have been stated. There is to be one clasp for those engaged in the Nile and Suakin Expedition, and a special clasp for those who were engaged in the severe battles which took place under Sir Herbert Stewart and General Earle.

MR. PULESTON: Will the officers and men of the Navy engaged in the Campaign come in for the same distribution?

THE SECRETARY OF STATE: Similar gratuities will certainly be given to the officers and men of the Navy employed within the same limits and under similar circumstances.

MR. BRODRICK: Can the right hon. Gentleman say what the corresponding gratuities to officers will be?

MR. ARTHUR ARNOLD: Will any portion of these gratuities be paid by the Egyptian Government? Is not the amount now paid by them a fixed sum?

THE SECRETARY OF STATE: No, Sir; no portion of the gratuity will be paid by the Egyptian Government. As to the gratuities to officers, I am afraid that I shall have to trouble the House with too much detail if I state the exact amounts. The gratuities for officers are based upon a system which has been in practice for many years.

SIR WALTER B. BARTTELOT: Do I understand that there is to be no Soudan medal, but that there is only to be an Egyptian medal similar to that issued after Tel-el-Kebir, and nothing special to recognize the services of the Army in the Soudan?

THE SECRETARY OF STATE: My hon. and gallant Friend seems to have taken rather an unfavourable view of the arrangement. There will be special recognition of the services of the Army in the Soudan by the issue of two clasps, one in regard to service south of Wady Halfa, and another clasp for the troops engaged at Suakin, and a special clasp for those engaged in the battle of the 23rd of March.

## IRISH INDUSTRIES AND IRISH FISHERIES—REPORTS OF THE SELECT COMMITTEES.

MR. SEXTON asked the Government, What was the cause of the great delay in the Reports of the Select Committees upon Irish Industries and Irish Fisheries? He would like to be informed when they would be circulated. He had also obtained a Return showing the favourable records granted to the Royal Irish Constabulary, and would move that the Return be printed with a view to its being circulated.

MR. SPEAKER: I would remind the hon. Member that every Report of a Select Committee is printed in the ordinary course.

MR. SEXTON: It is the printing of the Return, not the Reports, which I have moved for.

THE CHIEF SECRETARY (Sir WILLIAM HART DYKE) was understood to give the hon. Member an undertaking that the Return as to the Constabulary records would be printed and circulated.

## RELIEF OF DISTRESS (IRELAND) ACT—ADVANCE TO THE CLARE AND BANAGHER RAILWAY.

MR. MOLLOY: I wish to ask the Secretary to the Treasury, If he is aware that the sum of £30,000 was borrowed under the barony guarantee of Garrycastle by the Clare and Banagher Railway under the Relief of Distress (Ireland) Act, by which Act advances were to be made at 1 per cent; if, to meet a deficit in the profit returns of that railway, a rate has just been struck on the basis of 4 per cent interest on the said loan in lieu of 1 per cent, as mentioned in the said Act; by whose authority and what powers this loan was made at the increased rate; if he can state what steps can be taken to relieve the ratepayers, who believe that the loan was made under the reduced terms of 1 per cent, from this excessive interest?

THE SECRETARY TO THE TREASURY (Sir HENRY HOLLAND): In reply to the hon. Member, I have to state that the sum of £30,000 was not granted under the Relief of Distress Act referred to in the Question; but the advance was made under the amended Relief of Distress Act, under which advances are made at 4 per cent. It is true that the advances are made under the former Act at 1 per cent.

## ROYAL COMMISSION ON THE DEPRESSION OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY.

MR. CAUSTON: I wish to ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer a Question in reference to the proposed Royal Commission on the Depression of Trade in consequence of his answer the other night as to the scope of the inquiry. I wish to ask him, as this Commission is not so much for the purpose of deciding or settling on a policy as to ascertain and collate facts, why this work could not have been undertaken by the officers of the Board of Trade, and considerable delay and expense saved?

The CHANCELLOR of the EXCHEQUER: This work has not been done by the officers of the Board of Trade because we thought it would be better done by a Royal Commission.

## *ORDER OF THE DAY.*

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### EDUCATIONAL ENDOWMENTS (IRELAND) BILL [*Lords*].

(*Mr. Attorney General for Ireland.*)

[BILL 176.] CONSIDERATION.

Order for Consideration, as amended, read.

Bill, as amended, *considered.*

Motion made, and Question, "That the Bill be re-committed in respect of a new Clause,"—(*Mr. Attorney General for Ireland,*)—put, and *agreed to.*

Bill *considered* in Committee.

(In the Committee.)

The ATTORNEY GENERAL for IRELAND (Mr. Holmes) moved the following new Clause:—

(Salaries and expenses.)

"The Commissioners of the Treasury shall assign such salaries as they think fit to the Assistant Commissioners, secretary, officers, clerks, and servants appointed under this Act, and, except where otherwise provided, the salaries and other expenses incurred under this Act (including the personal and travelling expenses of the Judicial Commissioners, and the travelling expenses of the Assistant Commissioners, secretary, and other officers incurred on the business of the Commission, which shall be paid on scales to be approved by the Treasury), and also any expenses incurred by the Lord Lieutenant in Council under this Act, shall be paid out of moneys to be provided by Parliament."

New Clause (Salaries and expenses,)—(*Mr. Attorney General for Ireland,*)—*brought up,* and read the first time.

Motion made, and Question, "That the Clause be now read a second time," put, and *agreed to.*

Motion made, and Question proposed, "That the Clause be added to the Bill."

Mr. SEXTON said, the Committee had no means whatever of knowing what the intentions of the Government were as to the salaries of the Commissioners who were to perform the work under the Bill. Before the Bill passed beyond their reach, he would like the Government to give them some idea as to the grade to which the salaries would belong.

The ATTORNEY GENERAL for IRELAND (Mr. Holmes) said, it would be contrary to precedent to mention the amount of the salaries; but he was in a position to say that the salaries would be sufficiently good to induce men of the highest position in the Education Department to accept the position.

Mr. SEXTON thanked the right hon. and learned Gentleman for his statement, which was quite satisfactory.

Question put, and *agreed to.*

Bill *reported;* as amended, *considered;* read the third time, and *passed,* with Amendments.

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### HOUSING OF THE WORKING CLASSES (ENGLAND) BILL [*Lords.*]

CONSIDERATION OF LORDS' REASONS.

Lords Reasons *considered.*

The SECRETARY of STATE for the HOME DEPARTMENT (Sir R. Assheton Cross) said, he should not propose to ask the House to insist upon the Amendment, although he was sorry that the Lords had disagreed with it. Another Bill would have to be introduced next year, and it must necessarily include a clause providing that no house should be let in an unfit state.

Motion made, and Question proposed, "That this House doth not insist on the Amendment disagreed to by the Lords."—(*Sir R. Assheton Cross.*)

Sir HENRY JAMES said, he agreed with the right hon. Gentleman opposite (Sir R. Assheton Cross) that it would not be worth while to imperil the Bill for the sake of this Amendment; but he thought that by striking out the Amendment the Lords had rendered the whole provision nugatory.

Question put, and *agreed to.*

### PREVENTION OF CRIMES AMENDMENT BILL [*Lords.*]

CONSIDERATION OF LORDS' REASONS.

Lords Reasons *considered.*

THE UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE HOME DEPARTMENT (Mr. STUART-WORTLEY), in moving "That this House insists on the said Amendment," said, the clause was inserted last evening when the Bill was before the House, on account of the great objection of some Members from Ireland to the inclusion of that country in the Bill. As it was not expected that the clause would be left out, he thought it would not be fair to the Irish Members if that House were to agree with the Lords' Amendment. He therefore moved that Clause 8 be insisted upon.

Motion made, and Question proposed, "That this House doth insist on the Amendment disagreed to by the Lords." —(*Mr Stuart-Wortley.*)

SIR HENRY JAMES said, if he had thought that he could insist on the Amendment on the preceding Bill without losing the Bill he certainly should have done so.

THE SECRETARY OF STATE (Sir R. ASSHETON CROSS) said, this was simply a question of good faith with the Irish Members. In a full House it was arranged that this Bill should not extend to Ireland, and it would be a breach of faith if they did not insist on their Amendment.

SIR HENRY JAMES said, he hoped the Irish Members would be content with this, and would not insist on the Amendment. He would appeal to the Irish Members present to assist the Government in the difficult position in which they were placed.

MR. SEXTON said, there was no use appealing to the Irish Members. It was simply a question of good faith. A pledge was given them in the matter, and they expected to see the pledge redeemed.

Question put, and *agreed to*.

Committee *appointed*, "to draw up Reasons to be assigned to The Lords for insisting on the Amendment made by this House to the said Bill, to which The Lords have disagreed:"—Mr. ATTORNEY GENERAL for IRELAND, Mr. STUART-WORTLEY, Sir R. ASSHETON CROSS, Sir HENRY HOLLAND, Mr. SEXTON, and Mr. AKERS DOUGLAS.

Said Reasons *reported*, and *agreed to*:—To be communicated to The Lords.

### NATIONAL SCHOOL TEACHERS (IRELAND) PENSION FUND.

Copy *presented*,—of Account of Receipts and Payments for the year ended 31st December 1884, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon [by Act]; to lie upon the Table.

### ROYAL IRISH CONSTABULARY (FAVOURABLE RECORDS).

Return *presented*,—giving a list of all the Favourable Records received by Members of the Royal Irish Constabulary Force in the years 1870 to 1875, both inclusive, &c. [ordered 3rd August; *Mr. Sexton*]; to lie upon the Table, and to be *printed*. [No. 351.]

### EAST INDIA (REDUCTION OF EXPENDITURE).

Return *presented*,—of Copy of Correspondence between the Government of India and the Secretary of State in 1883 regarding the steps to be taken for a reduction of the Expenditure of India [Address 12th August; *Mr. Kynaston Cross*]; to lie upon the Table, and to be *printed*. [No. 352.]

### METROPOLITAN WATER COMPANIES.

Address for "Return showing the financial result, as affecting the Metropolis, of the abandonment of the provisional agreements of the late Mr. Edmund James Smith with the Metropolitan Water Companies, as embodied in the Metropolitan Waterworks Purchase Bill, 1880, with a comparative Statement showing the Capital (Share Loan and Debentures) for the years 1879 to 1884, inclusive, and the amount expended by the Companies respectively on new Works during the same period."—(*Sir George Balfour.*)

### DEAF-MUTE CHILDREN (FOREIGN COUNTRIES).

Address for "Return showing the number of Deaf-Mute Children in France, Germany, Italy, Austro-Hungary, Belgium, Switzerland, Holland, and the United States, and the nature and amount of public aid given towards their education, distinguishing between the sums contributed in each case by the State, Province, and Commune."—(*Mr. Ackers.*)

### ELEMENTARY EDUCATION.

Return *presented*,—showing, during the period from 1870 to 1885, in each year:—

(1.) The number of Children attending Voluntary Schools;
(2.) The total amount of Expenditure;
(3.) The total amount of School Fees;
(4.) The amount of Voluntary Subscriptions;
(5.) The amount of Government Grant;
(6.) The amount received from other sources; and
(7.) The number of New Schools established

[Address 13th August; *Mr. Molloy*]; to lie upon the Table, and to be *printed*. [No. 354.]

## *MOTION.*

## ADJOURNMENT.

Motion made, and Question proposed, "That this House do now adjourn."—(*Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer.*)

### LAW AND POLICE (ENGLAND AND WALES)—SUPPRESSION OF DISORDERLY HOUSES—CASE OF MRS. JEFFRIES.

**MR. CALLAN** said, that he had two Motions on the Paper, which he had been prevented from moving. The first was for the production of the Report of Mr. Batchelor, of the Solicitor's Department of the Treasury, who, by direction of the Secretary of State for the Home Department, watched the case of Mrs. Jeffries at the Westminster Police Court on the 16th day of April, 1885; and of the Report or Reports made by any official of the Home Office previous to the institution of the prosecution in the case, with reference to the character of the houses kept by Mrs. Jeffries. He would not go to a division on his first Motion, as it had been stated that the document referred to was a confidential Report to the Secretary of State, and could not, therefore, be produced. He had also a Motion on the Paper for a Copy of the Report made by ex-Inspector Minahan in the divorce case of "Macintosh *v.* Macintosh." He held in his hand the corroboration of Inspector Minahan's statement by no fewer than four policemen. The hon. Member proceeded to read a Report made by the police at Chelsea on the 9th of April, 1883, when——

**MR. SPEAKER**, interposing, said: The hon. Member is anticipating a Motion which stands in his own name on the Paper. The Question is the Adjournment of the House.

**MR. CALLAN** said, that in that case he would discuss the Motion for Adjournment, and he would say with regard to it that it was most inconvenient and unfair. It was made in order to evade discussion on the Minahan case, to which his Motion referred.

Notice taken, that 40 Members were not present; House counted, and 40 Members not being present,

House adjourned at a quarter after Four o'clock.

# HOUSE OF LORDS,

*Friday*, 14*th August*, 1885.

MINUTES.]—PUBLIC BILLS—*Royal Assent*—Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 64]; Telegraph Acts Amendment [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 58]; Expiring Laws Continuance [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 59]; Patent Law Amendment [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 63]; Crown Lands [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 79]; Parliamentary Elections (Returning Officers) [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 62]; Federal Council of Australasia [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 60]; Secretary for Scotland [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 61]; Registration Appeals (Ireland) [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 66]; Metropolitan Police Staff Superannuation [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 68]; Public Works Loans [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 65]; East India Army Pensions Deficiency [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 67]; Criminal Law Amendment [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 69]; County Officers and Courts (Ireland) (Pensions) [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 71]; Sea Fisheries (Scotland) Amendment [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 70]; Evidence by Commission [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 74]; Land Purchase (Ireland) [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 73]; Prevention of Crimes Amendment [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 75]; River Thames (No. 2) [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 76]; Housing of the Working Classes (England) [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 72]; Labourers (Ireland) (No. 2) [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 77]; Educational Endowments (Ireland) [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 78]; Poor Law Unions' Officers (Ireland) [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 80]; Elementary Education Provisional Order Confirmation (London) [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. clxxxix]; Local Government (Ireland) Provisional Orders [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. cxc].

### PROROGATION OF THE PARLIAMENT—HER MAJESTY'S SPEECH.

THE **PARLIAMENT** was this day prorogued by Commission.

THE **LORD CHANCELLOR** (Lord HALSBURY) acquainted the House that Her Majesty had been pleased to grant two several Commissions; one for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Bills agreed to by both Houses of Parliament, and the other for proroguing the Parliament:—And the LORDS COMMISSIONERS—namely, The LORD CHANCELLOR; The LORD CHAMBERLAIN (The Earl of Lathom); THE MARQUESS OF WATERFORD (Master of the Buckhounds); The EARL OF COVENTRY (Captain of the Gentlemen-at-Arms); and The Earl of HARDWICKE—being in their Robes, and seated on a Form between the Throne and the Woolsack; and the COMMONS being come, with their Speaker, and the Commission to that purpose being read, the ROYAL ASSENT was given to several Bills.

Then THE LORD CHANCELLOR, pursuant to Her Majesty's Command, delivered Her Majesty's Speech, as follows:—

"*My Lords, and Gentlemen,*

"I AM glad to be able to relieve you from the labours of a Session which has been protracted and eventful.

"When you assembled in October last I informed you that an Expedition was advancing up the Valley of the Nile for the relief of Khartoum. Three months later, with a deep sorrow, which was shared by all my people, I learnt that the Expedition had arrived too late, and that the heroic General Gordon and his companions had fallen. An endeavour, which was ineffectual, was made to reach Khartoum by constructing a railway from Suakin to Berber. My troops were ultimately withdrawn from the whole of the Eastern Soudan except Suakin, and from the Western Soudan down to Alashkert.

"Although the objects of the Expedition have not been attained, I have great reason to be proud of the bravery and endurance which have been displayed by my soldiers and sailors, and of the skill with which they have been commanded.

"I received with great pleasure loyal offers of military assistance in this campaign from my Colonies and from the native Princes in India, and a Contingent from the Colony of New South Wales served with distinction in the actions which took place on the coast of the Red Sea.

"The death of the Mahdi will probably enable me to perform with less difficulty the duties towards the Ruler and people of Egypt which events have imposed upon me. I shall not relax in my efforts to place the government and good order of that country upon a firm foundation.

"My relations with other Powers are of a friendly nature.

"Difficulties which at one time were of an anxious character arose between my Government and that of Russia as to the limits of the territory of my ally, the Ameer of Afghanistan. Negotiations still continue, and will, I trust, lead, at an early period, to a satisfactory settlement.

"The progress of events in South Africa has compelled me, in the interest of the native races, to take under my protection Bechuanaland and certain adjacent territories.

"I am taking the necessary steps to place the north-western frontier of my Indian Empire in a condition of adequate defence, in the absence of which the prosperity and tranquillity of my Indian subjects are liable from time to time to be interrupted and disturbed.

"*Gentlemen of the House of Commons,*

"I thank you for the liberality with which, during the past year, you have provided for the Services of the country.

"*My Lords, and Gentlemen,*

"I have had pleasure in giving my assent to a measure for enabling federal action in certain matters to be taken by the Colonies of Australasia; to a much-needed amendment of the Criminal Law; and to a Bill for establishing a new Department for Scottish affairs. I have also been glad to concur in a measure for increasing the number of occupying freeholders in Ireland.

"I notice with sincere gratification that an endeavour has been made by a Bill, to which I have assented, to diminish the evils of overcrowding and of insanitary dwellings, which hinder so seriously the moral and material well-being of the labouring classes.

"I regret to say that the depression which has so long prevailed in many important trades and in the agricultural and manufacturing industries of the country still continues. I have directed the issue of a Commission to inquire into the causes of it, and to ascertain whether it can be alleviated by any legislative measures.

"During the past Session your time has been principally occupied by the enlargement of the Electorate, and the extensive changes which you have, in consequence, made in the constitution of the House of Commons. I earnestly trust that these comprehensive measures may increase the efficiency of Parliament, and may add to the contentment of my people.

"It is my purpose before long to seek their counsel by a dissolution of Parliament. I pray that the blessing of God may rest upon their extended liberties, and that the numbers who are called to the exercise of new powers will use them with the sobriety and discernment which for so long a period have marked the history of this nation."

Then a Commission for proroguing the Parliament was read.

After which,

The LORD CHANCELLOR said—

*My Lords, and Gentlemen,*

By virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, under the Great Seal, to us and other Lords directed, and now read, we do, in Her Majesty's Name, and in obedience to Her Commands, prorogue this Parliament to Saturday the Thirty-first day of October next, to be then here holden; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Saturday the Thirty-first day of October next.

## HOUSE OF COMMONS,

*Friday*, 14*th August*, 1885.

The House met at a quarter before Two of the clock.

### *QUESTIONS.*

### MERCHANT SHIPPING — THE LOAD LINE COMMITTEE — IRREGULAR PUBLICATION OF THE REPORT.

Mr. WARTON asked the Secretary to the Board of Trade, Whether he has obtained any further information as to how the Report of the Load Line Committee came to be published in *The Times* newspaper?

The SECRETARY to the BOARD (Baron Henry De Worms), in reply, said, that he was glad to be able to supplement the information he gave yesterday upon the subject. He had made inquiries respecting it, and had satisfied himself that the document in question had not been communicated by any official of the Board of Trade. He had also received a communication from Her Majesty's Printers, repudiating the suggestion that the Report in *The Times* had emanated from their office, and pointing out that the type from which the matter was printed was not set up by them at the time the Report must have reached the newspaper office.

### ARMY (INDIA)—THE INDEPENDENT NATIVE STATES—THE MARTINI-HENRY RIFLE.

Mr. GOURLEY asked the Secretary of State for India, Whether, in consequence of his having decided that Native Indian Regiments in the service of the Queen shall be armed with Martini-Henry rifles, it is the intention of Her Majesty's Government to recommend that the armies of independent Native Princes shall be similarly armed?

THE SECRETARY OF STATE (Lord RANDOLPH CHURCHILL), in reply, said, that the subject was a very large one, and was surrounded with many difficulties. He was not aware that the arming of the regiments of the Native Princes of India with the Martini-Henry rifle had ever been considered by the Government of India.

### CENTRAL ASIA — RUSSIA AND AFGHANISTAN—THE AFGHAN BOUNDARY COMMISSION.

MR. GOURLEY asked the Secretary of State for India, To be good enough to inform the House if the duties of Lord Granville's Afghan Boundary Commission have been completed; if so, whether it is the intention of Her Majesty's Government to order its withdrawal, and arrange amicably between London and St. Petersburg the existing trivial dispute regarding Zulfikar?

THE SECRETARY OF STATE (Lord RANDOLPH CHURCHILL): The duties of the Afghan Boundary Commission have not yet been completed. It is not the intention of Her Majesty's Government at the present moment to order its withdrawal; but Sir Joseph Ridgeway and those who are under his command have done, and are still doing, good and useful work. I must altogether take exception to the adjective which the hon. Member (Mr. Gourley) has inserted in the last line of his Question, where he alludes to the dispute regarding Zulfikar as "trivial." I take exception to that adjective; but I may say that Her Majesty's Government are not altogether without some confidence that before long they may be fortunate enough to arrive at a satisfactory settlement of the remaining points of the Boundary question, which have not yet been decided upon.

### ROYAL COMMISSION ON THE DEPRESSION OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY —REPRESENTATION OF AGRICULTURE.

MR. STORER asked Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, How it happens that on the Commission about to be appointed regarding the Depression of Industry in this country, including, as it is understood, the connection between the depression in Agriculture and the depression in other Trades acting and re-acting upon each other, at present no Member of that Commission has been appointed who is supposed to have any practical knowledge of Agriculture?

THE CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCHEQUER: Sir, I am not prepared to admit that there is no Member of the Commission who has practical knowledge of agriculture. The Question is, however, one which I cannot answer without Notice. I think my noble Friend (Lord Iddesleigh) is still in communication with one or two Gentlemen upon the subject, and it is possible that the result may be an addition to the Commission of some such Gentlemen as the hon. Member desires.

MR. CAUSTON asked whether it was not by an afterthought that the subject of agriculture had been added to the Commission?

THE CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCHEQUER: No, Sir; it was by no afterthought at all that the subject referred to is to be considered by the Royal Commission on Depression of Trade. Agriculture, as such, is not included within the scope of the inquiry, though, of course, the obvious connection between trade and agriculture will secure that the depression in agriculture, so far as it is influenced by the depression of trade, shall be considered.

The following List of the Commissioners appeared in *The London Gazette*, September 1:—

The Earl of IDDESLEIGH (Chairman), The Earl of DUNRAVEN, Right Hon. G. SCLATER-BOOTH, Sir JAMES ALLPORT, Knt., JOHN AIRD, Esq., THOMAS BIRTWHISTLE, Esq., LIONEL LEWIS COHEN, Esq., JAMES PORTER CORRY, Esq., DAVID DALE, Esq., CHARLES JAMES DRUMMOND, Esq., WILLIAM FARRER ECROYD, Esq., HENRY HUCKS GIBBS, Esq., WILLIAM HENRY HOULDSWORTH, Esq., WILLIAM LAWIES JACKSON, Esq., GEORGE AULDJO JAMIESON, Esq., NEVILLE LUBBOCK, Esq., PHILIP ALBERT MUNTZ, Esq., ARTHUR O'CONNOR, Esq., ROBERT HARRY INGLIS PALGRAVE, Esq., CHARLES MARK PALMER, Esq., WILLIAM PEARCE, Esq., BONAMY PRICE, Esq., Professor of Political Economy, Oxford University, SAMUEL STOREY, Esq.

HERBERT GEORGE MURRAY, Esq.,
Secretary.

## ROYAL IRISH CONSTABULARY—EXTRA POLICE, QUEEN'S COUNTY.

MR. ARTHUR O'CONNOR asked Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Whether, if the authorities in Dublin do not object, the Treasury will accede to the recommendations of the Justices of Queen's County, that the extra police shall be withdrawn, and that in the future the county force shall consist of 215 men?

THE CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCHEQUER, in reply, said, that he did not think the number of police in any county could be altered separately. It would, however, of course, be his duty to consider any representation that might be made to the Treasury on the subject.

## PARLIAMENT—BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE—INFANTS BILL.

MR. FIRTH asked whether the House could not proceed with the Infants Bill, as it was down on the Orders of the Day?

MR. SPEAKER, in reply, said, the Orders of the Day had not been reached. There could be no object in entering upon the Orders of the Day with the prospect of immediate interruption.

## PROROGATION OF THE PARLIAMENT.

Message to attend The LORDS COMMISSIONERS;—

The House went;—and a Royal Commission to that purpose having been read, the *Royal Assent* was given to several Bills.

And afterwards Her Majesty's Most Gracious Speech was delivered to both Houses of Parliament by the Lord High Chancellor (in pursuance of Her Majesty's Command).

Then a Commission for proroguing the Parliament was read.

After which,

THE LORD CHANCELLOR said—

*My Lords, and Gentlemen,*

By virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, under the Great Seal, to us and other Lords directed, and now read, we do, in Her Majesty's Name and in obedience to Her Commands, prorogue this Parliament to Saturday the 31st day of October next, to be then here holden; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Saturday the 31st day of October next.

[APPENDIX.]

# APPENDIX.

## EGYPT AND THE SOUDAN.

THE following is a Revised Report of the Speech of the Right Hon. W. E. FORSTER, Friday, February 27, 1884, on the Adjourned Debate on the Vote of Censure proposed by Sir STAFFORD NORTHCOTE, Monday, February 23:—

**MR. W. E. FORSTER**: The hon. and learned Member who has just spoken (Mr. E. Clarke) has made a bitter and vehement attack upon the conduct of the Government. No doubt, some Member of the Government will reply to it. But what comes more home to us at this moment is their future policy, though with regard to their past policy I do not pretend to say that I approve of it. But I think the hon. and learned Member, when he reads his words, will come to the conclusion that the exceeding vehemence of his attack will not be justified by the opinion of the country or of the House. I will say little about the past, and that little will be in relation to General Gordon. I shall not dwell much upon his fate. I know very well that that great and noble and unselfish spirit would have revolted at the idea of a Party struggle over his dead body, or over the sufferings and anxieties of the last few weeks of his life. So far as he is concerned, I venture to hope that his self-sacrificing and patriotic spirit may have some influence over this debate. I cannot but believe that the Members of the Government—my old Colleagues—do feel quite as much as any of us his loss, and the circumstances connected with it. But I think it would have been better, from their own point of view and for their own feelings, if they had not been so anxious to justify themselves in every step they have taken, when, so far as I can see, such justification is impossible. My right hon. Friend the Prime Minister evidently believes that the delay in the sending of the Expedition for his relief did not cause Gordon's death. He almost went so far as to suppose that this delay prolonged his life, because it had postponed that approach of the relieving Army which was to be the signal for treachery. I do not think that that is the opinion of the House or of the country. The Secretary of State for the Colonies (the Earl of Derby) has made the same statement in "another place." One word with regard to this hypothesis. In order to secure the success of treachery, it was necessary that there should be not only treachery within the city, but also a strong force without the city. It was a very short time, only two or three weeks, before the last catastrophe, that the Mahdi, with his forces, took possession of that important place, Omdurman, just below Khartoum, the possession of which vastly increased his power, and prevented the escape of Gordon, if he had designed to attempt it with a few faithful followers, by the White Nile. I believe it was the possession of that place that gave the traitors encouragement and the means of carrying out their treachery; but how if the Expedition had arrived a month before? One word more. I wait, and all General Gordon's friends and admirers wait, for the publication of his diaries. We know there are six volumes of them, and I want to take this opportunity of saying that I trust, and cannot but believe, that the Government will take care that every word in these diaries comes before the public. I am not sure that the Government has the right to determine the matter. Unless they are official diaries, they belong to General Gordon's family. As it is sometimes suggested that his relations or friends might have some feeling on the subject, I take the opportunity of saying—and I am authorized to do so on behalf of his nearest relatives—that they are most anxious that every word in these diaries of public interest should be published. They will be the record of the agony of a noble soul, who cared not for his own life or what he suffered, but only for those who were trusting in him, whom he had in charge, and whose lives were getting day by day in more danger, and he did not know how to save them. My noble Friend the Secretary of State for War (the Marquess of Hartington) will, of course, close this debate. He will have much to say, and, therefore, it may seem hard to ask him further questions. But there is one question I should like to ask him. It was very late before the Expedition was resolved upon. It was August 20 before the despatches omitted the phrase "if it would be necessary" to send the Expedition. I want to ask this question, and it is fair that the House should have an answer. Were there no representations made by Lord Wolseley as to the delay of this Expedition? If so, why were they not attended to? Were the reasons political or military? Were they fully considered or not? My right hon. Friend the Prime Minister gave a military reason. He said that when the possibility of its being right to send an Expedition had come into view, no doubt much time was spent in the examination of the question of the two routes. [Mr. Gladstone dissented.] Yes; that is so. Only this morning I took down from the report of my right hon. Friend's speech in *The Times* these words—

> "When the possibility of its being right to send an Expedition to relieve General Gordon had come in view, no doubt much time was spent in the examination of the question." [Mr. Gladstone: Hear, hear!] "I think I may say, for some months, the balance of evidence appeared to be in favour of the Suakin route. It was not until after that period had elapsed that at length, and with deliberation, and therefore in time, judgment appeared evidently to preponderate in favour of the Nile route."

Now, I think this military reason requires some explanation from my noble Friend the Secretary of State for War. It was not merely that the life of Gordon was at stake, but also the success of the Expedition. We know that the result of his death and the fall of Khartoum has enormously increased the difficulties and dangers to be confronted by the Expedition. We have the right to ask — Are the affairs of the War Office so conducted that doubts with regard to these two routes could continue so long unsolved? Did this need for balancing advantages last so long as to make the failure of the Expedition, in any circumstances, so much more probable? Again, I think we ought to know whether it was solely on military grounds that there was this long examination, or whether there were not also political and Parliamentary considerations? The hon. Member for Newcastle (Mr. John Morley), in his remarkably terse and vigorous speech, made a remark about myself which gave me pain. He said that if one cause more than another had conduced to the final catastrophe and the death of General Gordon, it was the attitude taken by hon. Gentlemen opposite and by myself in the pressure they put upon the Government to prevent the appointment of Zebehr. Now, that was a very serious charge. I knew General Gordon. He was a personal friend. I am proud to say he was a distant relation of mine; I am in constant communication with his family; and when I am told that I caused his death, hon. Members will not be surprised that I feel the charge.

**Mr. JOHN MORLEY**: I desire to explain that nothing could have been further from my intention than to impute any such aim or object to my right hon. Friend. What I said was this. General Gordon applied for Zebehr to be sent to him from February 18 onward. So late as March 5 Lord Granville wrote that the question was still open. On March 10 my right hon. Friend, in an extremely powerful and vigorous speech, said he hoped Zebehr would not be sent without the House being consulted. On the very next day Lord Granville wrote the despatch stating that Zebehr could not be allowed to go. Surely, then, I may be permitted to say that my right hon. Friend was partly and gravely responsible for the non-sending of Zebehr.

Mr. W. E. FORSTER: I did not for a moment suppose that my hon. Friend, or, indeed, any individual in the Three Kingdoms, could have charged me with having such an aim and object. But I would like to know how my hon. Friend would feel, under the same circumstances, if he were charged with having acted in such a manner as to cause Gordon's death. The hon. Member has described what happened. I objected strongly to the appointment of Zebehr Pasha. Afterwards, finding the Government had felt some objections, I said the House ought to be informed of the reasons why Zebehr should be sent, before he was sent. The Government thought the same, and they instituted inquiries; they got reasons from General Gordon, and they were not satisfied with the appointment. My hon. Friend says they were wrong; but I very much doubt whether he, in the same position, would have acted otherwise. Would he have been prepared, not merely to send Zebehr, with his antecedents, but to support him with the power of England after he got to Khartoum? I will not dwell further upon this subject, except to say that I thank hon. Members for allowing me to defend myself from this charge—for I still think it a charge—and that I adhere to what I stated on May 13. If hon. Members will kindly refer to my speech of that date, they will there see that I stated, what I repeat now, that the Government were not so much to blame for refusing to send Zebehr, as for their lamentable refusal to take the consequences of their decision. Zebehr Pasha was not sent. General Gordon then said—"Let me retire." But he was not allowed to retire, nor was he helped to remain. I will detain the House no longer on this branch of the subject; but let me now turn to the future policy of the Government. What is the future policy of the Government? Nobody knows. I do not know. My hon. Friend the Member for Northampton (Mr. Labouchere) said he did know; but, having discovered it, he did not like it at all. He began by saying that the object of his speech was to prevent the possibility of my views and the views of my right hon. Friend the Member for Ripon (Mr. Goschen) being carried out. But although he stated that to be the object of his speech, his attack was directed entirely against the Government. The hon. Member gave me a name which I have never been called before. Although I have been called by many names, both outside the House and in it, I do not remember ever before having been called a Whig. The hon. Member did not correctly state the view of my right hon. Friend. What my right hon. Friend stated—and I agree with him—was that if we go to Khartoum or anywhere else, and if we take upon ourselves responsibilities, then we must fulfil them. We must, therefore, be careful how we incur these responsibilities. I say we do not know what the policy of the Government is. We know that the Government have pledged themselves to use the power of this Empire to do a certain thing; but we do not know, nor can we discover, what is their policy or object in doing this thing. The Prime Minister, yesterday week, when he made his first careful statement—we have got it now by heart—said that, upon hearing of the fall of Khartoum, the Cabinet had a most momentous question before them, and had to decide what steps they should take. The question which seemed to be put before them—I cannot understand why it was the only alternative—was, whether or not they should proceed to overthrow the power of the Mahdi at Khartoum? The Government decided that it was their duty to overthrow the power of the Mahdi at Khartoum, and to use the Forces of this country for that purpose, and to send out this Expedition for that purpose. It is one thing to prevent the Mahdi from taking Khartoum, and another thing to pledge the country to the overthrow of the Mahdi at Khartoum. What does that pledge mean? If it be carried out —and it is a very serious matter before England, before Europe, and even before Africa to make this pledge, unless there be a most determined effort to carry it out—it means a most bloody and most costly war—hundreds and thousands of our brave men killed, and tens of thousands of brave Arabs. I have to answer to my conscience and to my constituents for the course I take in this matter. Some of my hon. Friends below the Gangway find no difficulty whatever in voting confidence in the Government. My hon. Friend the Member for Liskeard (Mr. Courtney)—I do not know what he will do exactly —said that if he wished his views to be carried out—and anyone who heard his most powerful and eloquent speech will feel with what earnestness he holds his views—he should most certainly not vote with the Government, but with the right hon. Gentleman opposite. What are the reasons which the Government have given for the course they propose to take? Again, I must go back to the statement of yesterday week with reference to the Expedition, that any other resolution than the one for the overthrow of the power of the Mahdi at Khartoum would be an abandonment of the original objects of the Expedition. I wish that these objects had been as clearly stated months ago as they were yesterday week. I am not sure, if they had, that the Expedition would not have been far less costly, less large, and probably would have succeeded better. What are the objects now, when they do not appear to be so necessary as before Gordon's death? The first is to "rescue those to whom Gordon felt bound in honour, and for whose safety he was pledged." That object must be abandoned. Gordon is dead; those whom he had pledged himself to protect were killed with him, or they have fled, or they have joined the Mahdi; at any rate, they are not there to rescue. The next object is to rescue other garrisons in the Soudan. Again I say, if we had made that our object a few months ago, it might have been more useful. But what garrisons? Khartoum is taken. Bahr Gazelle may be holding out; Kassala, according to the last accounts, was holding out with great bravery. But if the Government were to send an Expedition to rescue the garrisons of Kassala and Bahr Gazelle, it would probably march, not by way of Khartoum, but of Abyssinia. The next object is to establish some orderly Government at Khartoum, and the last is to check the Slave Trade. I take them together, because, if there be no orderly Government at Khartoum, there will be no check upon the Slave Trade. What does my right hon. Friend mean by the establishment of an orderly Government? I do not know, nor does the House know. The right hon. Gentleman the Leader of the Opposition asks, as he has a right to ask, by the terms of his Motion—"Do you mean a good and stable Government?" I do not myself see the difference between the two. We all remember the eloquent fervour and indignation with which my right hon. Friend denounced the idea of establishing a good and stable Government. Then, what is the real difference between the Prime Minister and the Leader of the Opposition on this point, between establishing an orderly Government and a good and stable Government? I confess I do not understand the difference in the mere words themselves. But my right hon. Friend, as we all know, is the greatest master that ever existed of distinctions and differences. He convinces himself of them, as he does others; but he does not always convince facts. If a real attempt be made to establish an orderly Government, it will be much the same thing as trying to establish a good and stable Government. But then comes the question whether the Government are going to make such attempt or not. If they are going to overthrow the power of the Mahdi, what are they going to put in the place of it? My right hon. Friend the Secretary of State for the Home Department hoped they would set up the power of the Native Sultans. Many remarks have been made about that. It is much the same as the policy which was adopted in Zululand. My right hon. Friend quoted the authority of General Gordon in favour of it. I wonder at that, because General Gordon, before his arrival in Khartoum, found that it was impossible and hopeless to attempt it. Are you going to put up at Khartoum a puppet to be knocked down when you leave it, or will you put up a man whom you will undertake to support? If the latter, then there is no difference between the Prime Minister and the Leader of the Opposition, as far as Khartoum is concerned. But I must say that I agree with my right hon. Friend the Member for Ripon (Mr. Goschen) that if you are to put up a puppet for the purpose of being knocked down when you leave, a war for such a purpose would be a useless war, costing men and money, and leading to no result, or, if to any result, to anarchy; and if I be asked by my constituents whether there is not blood-guiltiness in such a war, I shall be unable to reply. But other Members of the Cabinet have spoken. My right hon. Friend the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster (Mr. Trevelyan) made a most interesting speech, full of the most delightful historic illustrations; but he took very good care, I observed, to say nothing about overthrowing the Mahdi at Khartoum. What he did say was that it was our duty to pursue the war. I suppose it is; I imagine that, if we do not pursue the war, the war will pursue us. Then came the speech of my right hon. Friend the Secretary of State for the Home Department, one of the most powerful speeches I ever recollect hearing in this House—a most eloquent speech, full of argument. But for whom? Not for the Government, but for my hon. Friend the Member for Newcastle. What he wished to do—what he showed to be his great desire—was to get out, not only of the Soudan, but of Egypt. Not a word in his speech about establishing an orderly Government at Khartoum. I suppose it might be included in the objects which the Head of the Government declared were not to be abandoned, but which he described as merely secondary objects. Then why does the Secretary of State for the Home Department go to Khartoum? Because it is, he says, the only manner in which the evacuation of the Soudan can be accomplished consistently with the safety of Egypt; but he gave not the slightest shadow of an argument for this opinion. Then came my right hon. Friend the President of the Local Government Board (Sir Charles W. Dilke). He gave this definition—"It is our intention to use all reasonable care to leave behind us in the Soudan a state of tranquillity." That is a new version of the Government policy. We are to overthrow the power of the Mahdi at Khartoum, not because it is necessary for the safety of the Army, or conducive to the success of the military operations—not because it is necessary for the safety of Egypt—but because, having gone to Khartoum, and having left it, we may leave it with the comfortable conviction that we have taken every reasonable care to insure tranquillity. Yes; but what is reasonable tranquillity? It may be interpreted to mean putting up some puppet, and giving some verbal or written declaration that he will be supported, and then, after destroying the only possible Government at Khartoum—the Government of the Mahdi—which might secure tranquillity, although probably accompanied by cruelty, leaving the place really to anarchy. It might be that, but it will not be; because the British people would come forward, and, in spite of the prophecies of the hon. Members for Newcastle (Mr. John Morley) and Liskeard (Mr. Courtney), would express the conviction, which is strong in their hearts, that if this country undertakes great responsibilities, even among barbarous nations, it must fulfil them. Not being able to obtain much information in this House, I read the debates of the other, where I found that the First Lord of the Admiralty (the Earl of Northbrook) had declared that the policy of the Government was clear, and that they would hold their own in the country, and conduct its affairs for the benefit and advantage of the people. But his policy is very different from that of the Home Secretary; and considering the power of that right hon. Gentleman in the Government, and everywhere else where he takes a part, I very much doubt whether the First Lord of the Admiralty will be able to carry his policy out. Now comes the question, What are we to do? There are a large number of Motions before us, and my right hon. Friend the Prime Minister has no easy task before him when he has undertaken to say "No" to all of them. I cannot vote for the Motion of my hon. Friend the Member for Newcastle. What would the Amendment of the hon. Member mean, if there were a possibility of its being carried? I do not believe that he himself would have moved it if he had not thought that it would be carried, though there are, I imagine, some Gentlemen who will vote for it who would not do so if they expected such a result. But what would it mean? It would mean retreat, acknowledgment of defeat, and, what is of more importance, a declaration that we do not intend to fulfil the responsibilities which we have already incurred. There is, however, in reality, only one question before us; and that is whether we can repose confidence in the Egyptian and Soudan policy of the Government? It is impossible to separate the one from the other, for their Soudan policy is only an illustration of their Egyptian policy. My hon. Friend the Member for Liskeard, in his eloquent peroration, made an appeal to the Prime Minister, asking him to wake up and to dictate a policy to the country which would be right and consistent with the views of my hon. Friend. He gave the House to understand that he knew that was the real policy of my right hon. Friend. My hon. Friend is a man of great eloquence, great earnestness, and great knowledge; but, if he will allow me to say it, with the belief that he has even more knowledge than he possesses. One way in which he shows this belief is by stating, as he has done in Cornwall and in this House, that he knows what are the real and inmost thoughts of the Government, although they have not been expressed. However, we cannot jump to the same conclusion, because we have no facts to warrant it. What are the facts which we have before us? My right hon. Friend the Prime Minister made a most remarkable statement in his speech the other night. I do not know that I ever heard from him, or from any Prime Minister, such a speech. Replying to the charge of the hon. Member for Newcastle, that they had not the courage of their convictions, he said—

> "We had no alternative in this Egyptian policy. Each step was inevitable; our decisions, sad and deplorable as they may have been in themselves, were yet inevitable in the circumstances, and at the moment when we were called upon to take them."

Why this helpless position? Why this slavery to circumstances? Why is my right hon. Friend, with all his power, his wonderful faculties and popularity, such as no other Prime Minister in our days has ever possessed—why is he, with his Colleagues, who are also men of ability such as is rarely met with in the same number of men, forced to make this confession of helplessness? Why this avowed policy of drifting? For this reason—because, in every step which they have taken, they have not looked forward to the next step. That has been the case from the beginning. When, by the power of our arms, we overthrew Arabi and the Egyptian Government, there was no acknowledgment for a long time afterwards by the Government, even in their own minds, of their responsibility for securing that there should be good government. When the Expedition of General Hicks was permitted to go to the Soudan, there was no thought of what might happen in the event of its probable failure and destruction. When the Egyptian Government were ordered to abandon the Soudan, no attempt was made to secure the retreat of the garrisons; and when Gordon came forward, with his devotion, to undertake his mission, there was an absolute and almost child-like refusal to face the responsibility of his possible failure. When our Government appointed General Gordon Governor General of the Soudan, they had no knowledge or comprehension of the responsibilities of that appointment; when his proposals were rejected—that of sending Zebehr among others—there was no suggestion of other plans; when he was ordered to remain at Khartoum, there was no attempt to secure his safety. The danger to him was at last realized, and then there were months of indecision as to whether he should be relieved, and how. And now, when we are asked to take this new departure, as my hon. Friends call it, and are asked to support the pledge of the Government to overthrow the Mahdi at Khartoum, there appears to be no consideration of what is to be the next step. Why, even in the matter of this railway we do not know what is to be done. There are different stories given by all of the Ministers as to what is to become of this railway. All I can find out is that it will be made, probably for military reasons, just about the time when the Nile will be full, and the troops could go by that route. There is no doubt the railway might do a great deal of good; but we cannot get from the Government any sort of definition as to what their object is. The right hon. Gentleman the Prime Minister put this question, last Monday, upon very high grounds. He described it not merely as a Vote of Censure, but as a Vote of Confidence. He evidently wished us to understand that we were to give this vote, not as we often have to do, in Votes of Censure, in consideration of everything that might happen from their success, but upon the merits of the particular question. He was quite right. The merits of this question are so important that the vote must be given upon them. What did he say? He said that this was a serious crisis, and deprecated the spectacle, in the face of the world, of a disparaged Government and a doubtful House of Commons. There is, however, one thing worse than a disparaged Government, and that is a doubting Government. We have a doubting Government, because we have a divided Government. We often hear of differences in the Cabinet, and I know very well that such rumours are generally unfounded. But no one can have heard the speeches that have been made by Members of the Government, or watched the decisions that have been come to, and also the want of decisions, without being certain that rumour, in this case, has been right. It is clear there have been two parties and two voices in the Cabinet for months—on this Soudan and Egyptian policy—those who wished to fulfil the responsibilities we have undertaken, and those who have tried to evade their responsibilities. My right hon. Friend the Secretary of State for the Home Department has shown clearly enough how difficult it must be for any Cabinet of which he is a Member, with his power and his energy, to fulfil those responsibilities. We have no right to incur responsibilities unless we intend to fulfil them. We have incurred responsibilities which we must fulfil, and therefore I cannot vote for the Amendment of my hon. Friend the Member for Newcastle. My right hon. Friend the Member for Ripon has been charged with saying that he goes further than the Government. What he really said, and I agree with him, is that whatever responsibilities we incur, whether we go forward or not, having incurred those responsibilities we must fulfil them, and that we should not incur them unless we intend to fulfil them. But although I will not vote with my hon. Friend the Member for Newcastle, if these two policies are to go on in the Cabinet, neutralizing one another and making no policy a success—in fact, preventing any real policy from being carried out—I say that better than that would be even the policy of my hon. Friend. But, Sir, this doubt and vacillation have continued long enough. We have one more speech to hear to-night—namely, one from my noble Friend the Secretary of State for War. If it were not for the views expressed in the speech of the Home Secretary, I dare say we might have implicit confidence in the speech we are about to hear from my noble Friend. His earnestness of purpose is well known. No one disputes it; but what guarantee have we that he will have the power to give effect to his desires? I fear that this policy of doubt and vacillation will continue. If I thought it was at an end I would throw all considerations of the past to the winds, and not only vote for the Government, but support them with all my might; but I see every reason to believe that it will continue, and therefore I cannot record my vote in their favour.

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## PUBLIC GENERAL ACTS.

1. AN Act to grant to Her Majesty additional Rates of Income Tax.
2. An Act to apply the sum of Two million and forty-nine thousand pounds out of the Consolidated Fund to the service of the year ending on the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.
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7. An Act to authorise an Advance to the Government of the Colony of the Cape of Good Hope.
8. An Act to provide, during twelve months, for the Discipline and Regulation of the Army.
9. An Act to relieve Municipal Voters from being disqualified in consequence of letting their Dwelling-houses for short periods.
10. An Act to extend the Hours of Polling at Parliamentary and Municipal Elections.
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15. An Act to assimilate the Law affecting the Registration of Occupation Voters in Counties and Boroughs, and for other purposes.
16. An Act to amend the Law regulating the Registration of Voters in Scotland; and for other purposes relating thereto.
17. An Act to amend the law relating to the Registration of Parliamentary Voters in Ireland, and for other purposes connected therewith.
18. An Act to extend the Area to which the Metropolitan Streets Act, 1867, applies.
19. An Act further to facilitate the building, enlargement, and maintenance of Industrial Schools in Ireland.

20. An Act to amend the Law relating to the Admission of Barristers in Ireland.

21. An Act to amend the Law with respect to Contested Elections of Burial Boards.

22. An Act to provide for Expenses incurred in relation to Conferences of Local Authorities.

23. An Act for the Redistribution of Seats at Parliamentary Elections, and for other purposes.

24. An Act to enable Her Majesty to settle an Annuity on Her Royal Highness the Princess Beatrice Mary Victoria Feodore.

25. An Act for making provision for the transfer to the Secretary of State in Council of India of Unclaimed India Stock and Dividends; and for amending the East Indian Railway Company Purchase Act, 1879, and the East Indian Railway (Redemption of Annuities) Act, 1881; and for other purposes.

26. An Act to amend the Yorkshire Registries Act, 1884.

27. An Act to declare the true meaning of section twenty-two of the Friendly Societies Act, 1875.

28. An Act to enable the Secretary of State in Council of India to raise Money in the United Kingdom for the service of the Government of India.

29. An Act to enable Municipal Corporations to confer the Honorary Freedom of Boroughs upon persons of distinction.

30. An Act to amend the Local Loans Act, 1875, as regards the establishment of a Sinking Fund.

31. An Act for amending the Ecclesiastical Commissioners Acts, and for other purposes.

32. An Act to amend and extend the Acts relating to the redemption of Tithe Rentcharge in England and Wales.

33. An Act to amend the Metropolis Management Acts.

34. An Act to declare and explain the sixty-eighth section of the Waterworks Clauses Act, 1847.

35. An Act to amend the Public Health Act, 1875, in relation to ships and Port Sanitary Authorities.

36. An Act to provide for the regulation of land held by one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State or a Volunteer Corps for an Artillery or Rifle Range, or a School of Gunnery, or like purposes.

37. An Act to continue certain Turnpike Acts, and to repeal certain other Turnpike Acts; and for other purposes connected therewith.

38. An Act to amend the Law relating to School Boards so far as affected by the incorporation of a Municipal Borough and as respects the divisions of the Metropolis.

39. An Act to enable the sanitary authorities in Ireland to take possession of land for the erection of temporary Cholera Hospitals.

40. An Act to provide for the application to charitable purposes of such portion of the property subject to the Will of Edward Polehampton as is now vested in the Crown, and for the management and application of the said property.

41. An Act to make provision with respect to the maintenance of certain Piers and other works in the estuary of the River Shannon.

42. An Act to provide for defraying the Expenditure on account of Greenwich Hospital directly out of the Revenues of Greenwich Hospital; to amend in other respects the Greenwich Hospital Acts, 1865 to 1883; and to amend the law relating to the Naval Knights of Windsor.

43. An Act to suspend for a period certain Payments on Annuities created under the National Debt Act, 1883: and to reduce for a like period the Permanent Annual Charge of the National Debt.

44. An Act to raise the sum of Four million pounds by Exchequer Bills or Treasury Bills, for the service of the year ending on the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

45. An Act to enable Her Majesty's Postmaster General to acquire lands in London, Birmingham, Bristol, and Newcastle-upon-Tyne for the public service.

46. An Act to prevent Medical Relief disqualifying a person from voting.

47. An Act to enable the Treasury to provide out of surplus funds arising under the Bankruptcy Act, 1883, office accommodation for officers appointed under the said Act.

48. An Act for restitution of the ancient dignity and title of Earl of Mar.

49. An Act to carry into effect an International Convention for the Protection of Submarine Telegraph Cables.

50. An Act further to amend the Acts relating to the raising of Money by the Metropolitan Board of Works; and for other purposes.

51. An Act to grant certain Duties of Customs and Inland Revenue, and to amend the laws relating to Customs and Inland Revenue.

52. An Act to amend the Law relating to Lunatics.

53. An Act to amend the Public Health Act, 1875, with respect to the Members and Officers of Local Authorities.

54. An Act to amend the Law relating to Pluralities.

55. An Act to explain section thirty-four of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners Act, 1840.

56. An Act to amend the Law with respect to Corrupt Practices at Parliamentary Elections.

57. An Act to remove doubts as to the appointment of Revising Barristers.

58. An Act to amend the Telegraph Acts, 1863 to 1878.

59. An Act to continue various expiring Laws.

60. An Act to constitute a Federal Council of Australasia.

61. An Act for appointing a Secretary for Scotland and Vice-President of the Scotch Education Department.

62. An Act to amend the law relating to the Charges of Returning Officers at Parliamentary Elections.

63. An Act to Amend the Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks Act, 1883.

64. An Act to apply a sum out of the Consolidated Fund to the service of the year ending on the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and to appropriate the Supplies granted in this Session of Parliament.

65. An Act to appoint Public Works Loan Commissioners, to grant Money for the purpose of Loans by the Public Works Loan Commissioners and the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland and for the purpose of loans and purchases by the Irish Land Commission, and to make other provisions relating to those Commissioners.
66. An Act to accelerate the hearing of Appeals under the Acts relating to the Registration of Voters in Ireland in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.
67. An Act to provide for the discharge of the liability of the Consolidated Fund in respect of certain Indian Army Pensions.
68. An Act to amend the Metropolitan Police Staff Superannuation Act, 1875.
69. An Act to make further provision for the Protection of Women and Girls, the suppression of brothels, and other purposes.
70. An Act to amend the Law relating to Scottish Sea Fisheries and for other purposes relating thereto.
71. An Act to amend the County Officers and Courts (Ireland) Act, 1877, in relation to the Pensions of Clerks of the Crown and Clerks of the Peace.
72. An Act to amend the Law relating to Dwellings of the Working Classes.
73. An Act to provide greater facilities for the Sale of Land to occupying Tenants in Ireland.
74. An Act to amend the Law relating to taking Evidence by Commission in India and the Colonies, and elsewhere in Her Majesty's Dominions.
75. An Act to amend the Prevention of Crimes Act, 1871.
76. An Act for the preservation of the River Thames above Teddington Lock for purposes of public recreation, and for regulating the pleasure traffic thereon.
77. An Act to amend the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1883, and for other purposes connected with Labourers Dwellings in Ireland.
78. An Act to re-organize the Educational Endowments of Ireland.
79. An Act to amend the Law relating to the management of the Woods, Forests, and Land Revenues of the Crown.
80. An Act for enabling Allowances to be made to the Officers of Poor Law Unions in Ireland, on abolition of Office.

The Acts contained in the following List, being Public Acts of a Local Character, are placed amongst the Local and Personal Acts.

i. An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders of the Local Government Board relating to the Boroughs of Bolton and Honiton, the Improvement Act Districts of Mansfield and Milford, and the Borough of Stockton.

ii. An Act to confirm certain Orders of the Local Government Board under the provisions of the Divided Parishes and Poor Law Amendment Act, 1876, as amended and extended by the Poor Law Act, 1879, relating to the Parishes of Corwen, Dolbenmaen, Ewenny, Gwyddelwern, Llanfihangel-y-Pennant, Llangar, Llanharan, Llanilid, Mathern, Penmorfa, Saint Bride's Major, Saint Pierre and Runstone, and Yspytty Ystwith; and to the Township of Lower Gwnnws.

iv. An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders under the Drainage and Improvement of Lands (Ireland) Act, 1863, and the Acts amending the same, relating to the Upper Morning Star Drainage District, county Limerick, and the Cashen River Drainage District, county Kerry.

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# LOCAL ACTS.

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xv. An Act to enable the Magistrates and Council of the City and Royal Burgh of Glasgow, acting as the Police Commissioners, to borrow further Money; and for other purposes.

xvi. An Act to incorporate a Company for establishing and holding Markets and Fairs for Horses and Cattle at or near Newark in the County of Nottingham; and for other purposes.

xvii. An Act for enabling the Trustees of Port Glasgow Harbour to borrow additional Money; and for other purposes.

xviii. An Act for rendering valid certain Letters Patent granted to William Wallace Auld for Improvements in the Preparation and Combination of Animal Substances for Use as Food.

xix. An Act to enable the Mayor Aldermen and Burgesses of the Borough of Blackburn to abandon the Construction of the Dunsop Compensation Reservoir and to extend the time for the Construction of authorised Waterworks and for other purposes.

xx. An Act for extending the Limits of Supply of the Rickmansworth Waterworks Company to change the Name of the Company and for other purposes.

xxi. An Act for the abandonment of the Tilbury and Gravesend Tunnel Junction Railway.

xxii. An Act to confer further Powers on the Ashton-under-Lyne Stalybridge and Dukinfield (District) Waterworks Joint Committee.

xxiii. An Act to enable the London Chatham and Dover Railway Company to raise further Capital and for other purposes.

xxiv. An Act to extend the Powers of the Mayor Aldermen and Citizens of Oxford with respect to their supply of Water and for other purposes.

xxv. An Act to authorise the East and West India Dock Company to raise by capital stock or to borrow on mortgage, or by redeemable debenture stock, the moneys which they are authorised to raise by their Act of 1882, and which have not yet been raised.

xxvi. An Act for empowering the North Metropolitan Tramways Company to construct new Tramways along Clerkenwell Road; and for other purposes.

xxvii. An Act for the abandonment of the Extension Railway authorised by the Waterford Dungarvan and Lismore Railway (Extension) Act 1878 and for other purposes.

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xxxiv. An Act for amending and explaining the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Central Argentine Railway Company Limited; for extending its powers; and for other purposes.

xxxv. An Act to sanction and confirm the construction by the Fulwood Local Board of the Horns Dam Reservoir and other Works in the Township of Goosnargh-with-Newsham and in the Township of Haighton; to authorise the Local Board to acquire certain Properties; to take Land for Sewage purposes; to increase the number of Members of the Local Board; to borrow further Money; to authorise the Local Board to purchase by agreement a portion of the undertaking of the Preston Tramways Company; and for other purposes.

xxxvi. An Act for confirming and giving effect to an agreement between the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Public Works and Buildings and the Albert Palace Association, Limited, and for other purposes.

xxxvii. An Act to extend and enlarge the Powers of the Liverpool and Birkenhead Subway Company; and for other purposes.

xxxviii. An Act to authorise the Elham Valley Light Railway Company to improve their authorised Railway and for other purposes.

xxxix. An Act to extend the Powers of the North Cornwall Railway Company.

xl. An Act for extending the Municipal and Police Boundaries of the Burgh of Airdrie and for other purposes.

xli. An Act for erecting Coatbridge, in the County of Lanark, into a Burgh; and for other purposes.

xlii. An Act to enable the Maidstone Waterworks Company to construct additional Works and raise additional Capital; and for other purposes.

xliii. An Act to empower the Mayor Aldermen and Burgesses of the Borough of Oswestry to make and maintain additional Waterworks; to make other provisions in relation to their Waterwork Undertaking; to borrow Money; and for the Revision of the Market Tolls; and for other purposes.

xliv. An Act to empower the Dore and Chinley Railway Company to make a new Railway to deviate part of their authorised Railway and to raise further Capital and for other purposes.

xlv. An Act to confer further Powers on the East London Railway Company and for other purposes.

xlvi. An Act to provide for the purchase by the Corporation of the city of Lincoln of the Undertaking of the Lincoln Gaslight and Coke Company and for other purposes.

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lxviii. An Act for granting further Powers to the Canada North-West Land Company.

lxix. An Act to confer further Powers on the Mayor Aldermen and Burgesses of the borough of Longton.

lxx. An Act to make provision with reference to the Arrears of Dividend on the Guaranteed Preference Shares in the Capital of the Northern Railway of Buenos Ayres Company Limited and for other purposes.

lxxi. An Act for the abandonment of the Railway authorised by the Charing Cross and Waterloo Electric Railway Act 1882 and for other purposes.

lxxii. An Act for extending the time for completing certain of the Tramways of the Manchester Bury Rochdale and Oldham Steam Tramways Company.

lxxiii. An Act for extending the Municipal and Police Boundaries of the burgh of Ayr; for authorising the widening and improvement of existing Streets, the construction of additional Waterworks, and the extension of the limits of Water Supply; and for other purposes.

lxxiv. An Act to empower the Owners of Columbia Market to make certain Railways and acquire certain lands for the convenience of the Market and for other purposes.

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lxxvi. An Act to confer further Powers upon the Great Northern Railway Company with respect to their Undertaking and for other purposes.

lxxvii. An Act for incorporating the Guiseley Yeadon and Rawdon Railway Company and for other purposes.

lxxviii. An Act to extend the Powers of the Latimer Road and Acton Railway Company.

lxxix. An Act to extend the time for the completion of the Railways authorised by the Cathcart District Railway Act, 1880.

lxxx. An Act for incorporating and conferring Powers on the Brentford and District Tramways Company.

lxxxi. An Act to extend the Powers of the Didcot Newbury and Southampton Railway Company and for other purposes.

lxxxii. An Act to confer further Powers upon the Hull Barnsley and West Riding Junction Railway and Dock Company and to extend the time for the compulsory Purchase of Land for and for the completion of certain of their authorised works and for other purposes.

lxxxiii. An Act to confer upon the Lydd Railway Company further Powers with reference to their own undertaking and for other purposes.

lxxxiv. An Act to authorise the Manchester Sheffield and Lincolnshire Railway Company to construct new Railways and other works and to confer further Powers upon that Company in connexion with their undertaking and for other purposes.

lxxxv. An Act for authorising the Rhondda and Swansea Bay Railway Company to purchase additional Lands to extend the period limited by the Rhondda and Swansea Bay Railway Act 1882 for the purchase of certain Lands and for other purposes.

lxxxvi. An Act to confer further Powers on the London Tilbury and Southend Railway Company with respect to their own and other undertakings and with respect to their Boats. To authorise the abandonment of their authorised Junction with the Metropolitan Outer Circle Railway and for other purposes.

lxxxvii. An Act to grant further Powers to the Lanarkshire and Ayrshire Railway Company to enable the Caledonian Railway Company to contribute to the undertaking of that Company and for other purposes.

lxxxviii. An Act for conferring further Powers upon the London and North-western Railway Company in relation to their own Undertaking and other Undertakings in which they are interested jointly with other Companies and also for conferring Powers upon the Great Western Railway Company the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company the Furness Railway Company and the Manchester Sheffield and Lincolnshire Railway Company in relation to such other Undertakings for vesting in the London and North-western Railway Company the Undertaking of the Lancaster Canal Navigation Company and for enabling the Manchester South Junction and Altrincham Railway Company to raise additional Capital and for other purposes.

lxxxix. An Act to empower the Metropolitan Railway Company to make a Branch from their authorised Aylesbury and Rickmansworth Railway to Chesham and to purchase additional lands to extend the time for the completion of their Aylesbury and Rickmansworth Railway to make further arrangements with reference to the Capital of the Company and for other purposes.

xc. An Act to confer additional Powers upon the Midland Railway Company for the Construction of Works and the Acquisition of Lands; for raising further Capital and for the Consolidation of the various Classes of their Shares and Stocks; and for amalgamating with their undertaking the undertaking of the Bedford and Northampton Railway Company; and for other purposes.

xci. An Act to empower the Corporation of Hartlepool to construct a Sea Wall for protecting the Headland of Hartlepool in the County of Durham from the inroads of the Sea and for other purposes.

xcii. An Act to extend the Powers of the Plymouth Devonport and South-western Junction Railway Company.

xciii. An Act to authorise the Great Eastern Railway Company to widen and improve parts of their existing Railways in the Counties of Essex Middlesex Cambridge and Suffolk and to execute other works and to confer upon them other powers in relation to their undertaking; and for other purposes.

xciv. An Act for conferring further Powers on the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company with relation to their own Undertaking and Undertakings in which they are jointly interested and for other purposes.

xcv. An Act for making further provision respecting certain Street Improvements in the City of Liverpool; and respecting the alteration of the Boundaries of the City Wards; and for other purposes.

xcvi. An Act for incorporating the Bexhill Water and Gas Company and conferring Powers on them with reference to the Construction of Works the Supply of Water and Gas; and for other purposes.

xcvii. An Act for incorporating the Hailsham Water Company and for conferring Powers upon them with reference to the Construction of Works the Supply of Water and for other purposes.

P. xcviii. An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland relating to Cootehill, Kildare, and Thurles.

P. xcix. An Act to confirm a Provisional Order of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State for the improvement of an unhealthy area situated at Deptford within the Metropolis.

P. c. An Act to confirm a Provisional Order of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State for the improvement of an unhealthy area situated at Newington within the Metropolis.

P. ci. An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders of the Local Government Board relating to the Rural Sanitary District of the Atherstone Union, the Local Government District of Festiniog, the Rural Sanitary District of the Leyburn Union, the Borough of Newport (Monmouthshire), the Local Government District of Rawden, and the Rural Sanitary Districts of the Tadcaster and Wangford Unions.

P. cii. An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders made by the Board of Trade under the Tramways Act, 1870, relating to Dudley and Kingswinford Tramways, Llwynpiod (Carmarthen) Tramways, Paisley Tramways, and Salford Corporation Tramways.

P. ciii. An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders made by the Board of Trade under The Tramways Act, 1870, relating to Birmingham and Western Districts Tramways, Birmingham Central Tramways (Extension), and Birmingham Corporation Tramways.

P. civ. An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders made by the Board of Trade under the General Pier and Harbour Act, 1861, relating to Cattewater, Dingle, Lee-on-the Solent, North Sunderland, Plymouth, Saint Leonards, Saint Monance, and Southbourne.

P. cv. An Act to confirm an Order of the Local Government Board under the provisions of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1883, relating to the Town and Port of Seaford.

P. cvi. An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders of the Local Government Board relating to the Borough of Bangor, the Local Government Districts of Blaenavon and Brynmawr, the Borough of Burnley, the Local Government District of Great Driffield, the Boroughs of Haverfordwest and Leeds, the Improvement Act District of Leek, the Borough of Pwllheli, and the Local Government District of Widnes.

P. cvii. An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders of the Local Government Board relating to the Borough of Batley, the Improvement Act District of Bournemouth, the Borough of Evesham, the City of Manchester, the Local Government District of Worthing, and the Ystradyfodwg and Pontypridd Main Sewerage District.

P. cviii. An Act to confirm certain Orders of the Local Government Board under the provisions of the Divided Parishes and Poor Law Amendment Act, 1876, as amended and extended by the Poor Law Act, 1879, relating to the Parishes of Astwood, Emberton, Gayhurst, Hardmead, Lathbury, Lavendon, North Crawley, Ravenstone, and St. Mary and St. Chad, Stafford; to the Hamlet of Warrington; and to the Township of Hopton and Coton.

P. cix. An Act to confirm a Provisional Order of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1883, relating to the Mullingar Union.

P. cx. An Act to render valid certain Marriages at St. John, Cowley.

cxi. An Act to extend the time for the compulsory purchase of Land for, and for the completion of, the Railways authorised by the Church Fenton, Cawood and Wistow Railway Act, 1879, the Church Fenton, Cawood and Wistow Railway Act, 1882, and the Selby and Mid-Yorkshire Union Railway Act, 1883; and for other purposes.

cxii. An Act to dissolve the Lower Thames Valley Main Sewerage Board and to provide for the constitution of new United Districts for the disposal of the sewage of the Lower Thames Valley Main Sewerage District and for other purposes.

cxiii. An Act to extend the time limited for the completion of the Limehouse Subway.

cxiv. An Act to authorise the widening and improvements of part of the London and Blackwall Railway and the raising of additional Capital; and for other purposes.

cxv. An Act to authorise the London Street Tramways Company to construct additional Tramways and in connexion therewith to improve certain Streets and for other purposes.

cxvi. An Act for repealing certain Acts relating to the Church and disused Burial Ground of Saint James's Bermondsey in the County of Surrey and for vesting the said Church and Burial Ground in new Trustees for the Abolition of Easter Dues or Offerings and for other purposes.

cxvii. An Act for the settlement of disputed Claims arising out of certain fictitious Bonds of the Corporation of Bootle-cum-Linacre and for other purposes.

cxviii. An Act for authorising the London and South-Western Railway Company to construct additional works and to purchase additional lands; for extending the time limited for the purchase of lands for and for the completion of certain works; and for other purposes.

cxix. An Act to authorise the North British Railway Company to make several Railways in connexion with their Undertaking to extend the time for purchase of lands and completion of works to purchase additional lands to amalgamate with the Company the Undertakings of the Edinburgh Suburban and Southside Junction and Kelvin Valley Railway Companies to consolidate certain Stocks with the consolidated lien Stock of the Company to amend the Company's Acts in various particulars and for other purposes.

cxx. An Act to empower the Local Board for the District of Northwich in the County of Chester to make Waterworks and to supply Water and for other purposes.

cxxi. An Act for authorising the construction of a Railway in Lancashire to be called the St. Helens and Wigan Junction Railway and for other purposes.

cxxii. An Act to confer further Powers upon the Corporation of the Borough of Southport for the Improvement of that Borough for the creation of Corporation Stock and for other purposes.

cxxiii. An Act to authorise the Lord Provost, Magistrates and Town Council of the Royal Burgh and City of Aberdeen to construct additional Waterworks; and for other purposes.

cxxiv. An Act for enabling the Mayor Aldermen and Burgesses of the Borough of Bradford in the West Riding of the County of York to construct and maintain additional Waterworks; to effect public improvements; to make provision for the better protection of public health; and for other purposes.

cxxv. An Act to incorporate the Trustees of the Town Port and Harbour of Whitehaven in the County of Cumberland to extend their powers to authorise additional Waterworks and Harbour Works and for other purposes.

cxxvi. An Act to extend the Boundaries of the City of Manchester and for other purposes.

P. cxxvii. An Act to confirm a Provisional Order made under the Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1867, relating to the burgh and parish of North Berwick.

P. cxxviii. An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders of the Local Government Board relating to the Local Government Districts of Barking Town, Brentford, and Ealing (two), the Hartlepool Joint Hospital, the Local Government District of Oldbury, the Rural Sanitary District of the Penzance Union, the Borough of Swansea, and the Local Government District of Swinton.

P. cxxix. An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders made by the Education Department under the Elementary Education Act, 1870, to enable the School Boards for Birmingham, Bradford (Yorks), Cardiff, Derby, and Llanwonno to put in force the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, and the Acts amending the same.

P. cxxx. An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland relating to the Drumcondra, Clonliffe, and Glasnevin Township, and to Waterworks in the Town of Cavan.

cxxxi. An Act to authorise the Guardians of the Mullingar Union to construct Waterworks and obtain Water Supply for the Town and Manor of Mullingar in the County of Westmeath and for other purposes.

cxxxii. An Act to authorise the Skegness Chapel St. Leonards and Alford Tramways Company to abandon portions of the Tramway authorised by the Skegness Chapel St. Leonards and Alford Tramways Act 1883 to extend the time limited by that Act for the purchase of lands and completion of works to authorise the construction of new Tramways and for other purposes.

cxxxiii. An Act for transferring the Undertaking of the Harrow Waterworks Company to the Colne Valley Water Company and for other purposes.

cxxxiv. An Act to empower the North Wales Narrow Gauge Railways Company to improve their Railway by extending it to Carnarvon Harbour and by constructing other Railways and works and for other purposes.

cxxxv. An Act to empower the Coleraine Harbour Commissioners to make certain short Railways and further to improve the Navigation of the River Bann and for other purposes.

cxxxvi. An Act to authorise the Commissioners of the Glasgow Corporation Waterworks to obtain an additional supply of Water; to construct additional Waterworks and other Works; and for other purposes.

cxxxvii. An Act for authorising the South-eastern Railway Company to execute various works and conferring on them further powers in respect of their own undertaking and of the undertakings of other Companies and for other purposes.

cxxxviii. An Act to amend the Acts relating to the Regent's Canal City and Docks Railway Company; and for other purposes.

cxxxix. An Act for empowering the Alexandra (Newport and South Wales) Docks and Railway Company to make a Railway from their Alexandra Dock to their Newport Dock and other works and for other purposes.

cxl. An Act to confer further Powers on the Glyn Valley Tramway Company: and for other purposes.

cxli. An Act to enable the Barry Dock and Railways Company to construct a new Railway and for other purposes.

cxlii. An Act to enable the Local Board for the District of Hebburn in the County of Durham to make and maintain a Quay and Landing-place at Hebburn and for other purposes.

cxliii. An Act to authorise the Stratford-upon-Avon Towcester and Midland Junction Railway Company to divert a portion of their authorised Railway; and for other purposes.

cxliv. An Act to enable the North London Railway Company to widen their Railway near Columbia Market, Bethnal Green; and for other purposes.

cxlv. An Act to authorise the Liverpool United Tramways and Omnibus Company to raise Additional Capital and to confer further Powers upon them with reference to other Tramways in the Neighbourhood of Liverpool and for other purposes.

cxlvi. An Act to extend the Municipal Boundary of the Borough of Bury to confer further powers upon the Corporation of Bury with respect to their Gas and Water Undertakings and to make further provision for the good government of the Borough to authorise the creation of Corporation Stock and for other purposes.

cxlvii. An Act for conferring further Powers upon the Great Western Railway Company in connexion with their own and other Undertakings, and upon them and other Companies in connexion with Undertakings in which they are jointly interested; for authorising and confirming Agreements between the Great Western Railway Company and other Companies; and for other purposes.

cxlviii. An Act to transfer the Undertaking of the Stalybridge Gas Company to the Corporations of Stalybridge and Mossley and for other purposes.

cxlix. An Act to authorise the Wirral Railway Company to extend their Railway to the Chester to Connah's Quay Railway of the Manchester Sheffield and Lincolnshire Railway Company and for other purposes.

cl. An Act for making a Railway from Wrexham in the county of Denbig to Ellesmere in the county of Salop; and for other purposes.

cli. An Act to confer further Powers on the Rathmines and Rathgar Improvement Commissioners to make further provision respecting the borrowing of money by them and the good government of their District and for other purposes.

P. clii. An Act to confirm a Provisional Order made under the Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1867, relating to the Village of Renton.

cliii. An Act for the Abandonment of the Bawtry and Trent Railway and Dock.

cliv. An Act for the making and maintaining of the Lynton Railway and for other purposes.

clv. An Act for extending the time for completing the Works for improving the Outfall of the River Witham in the County of Lincoln authorised by the River Witham Outfall Improvement Act 1880.

clvi. An Act to authorise the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the City of Glasgow to construct additional Tramways; and for other purposes.

clvii. An Act to empower the Taff Vale Railway Company to construct new Railways and to acquire additional Lands and to raise further Capital and for other purposes.

clviii. An Act to provide further means for protecting and draining the Fourth District of the Witham Drainage and other Lands in the County of Lincoln by improving Steeping River and for other purposes relating to the Witham Drainage.

clix. An Act for authorising the Horsforth Waterworks Company to construct additional Works and to purchase additional Lands and to raise additional Capital and for other purposes.

clx. An Act to revive and extend the Powers of the Greenwich and Millwall Subway Company and for other purposes.

clxi. An Act for the Abandonment of the Ballyclare Ligoniel and Belfast Junction Railway and for other purposes.

clxii. An Act for the Abandonment of the Belfast Strandtown and High Holywood Railway and for other purposes.

clxiii. An Act for the Abandonment of the Metropolitan Outer Circle Railway.

clxiv. An Act to extend the Boundaries of the City and County of the City of Worcester and to empower the Corporation to create and issue Consolidated Stock and for other purposes.

clxv. An Act to make further and better Provision for the Improvement Health and Good Government of the Borough of Eastbourne to provide for the Issue of Corporation Stock and for other purposes.

clxvi. An Act to enable the Giant's Causeway Portrush and Bush Valley Railway and Tramways Company to abandon part of their authorised Railway and to construct a new Railway instead thereof; to confer further Powers upon that Company for completing the remainder of their authorised Undertaking; to authorise the abandonment of the Glenariff Railway and Pier; and for other purposes.

clxvii. An Act to confer Powers on the Metropolitan Board of Works with respect to the making of a new Street in the parishes of St. Andrew Holborn and of St. James and St. John Clerkenwell, the establishing and regulating of a Ferry across the River Thames at Woolwich, the providing of Recreation Grounds for the public, and for other purposes.

clxviii. An Act for the Abandonment of certain Railways authorised by the Belfast Central Railway (New Lines &c.) Act 1880 and the Belfast Central Railway Act 1884 and for other purposes.

clxix. An Act to provide for building a new Bridge over the River Ribble from Preston to Penwortham in the County Palatine of Lancaster and for other purposes.

clxx. An Act to enable the Corporation of Southampton to obtain a further Supply of Water; to create Corporation Stock; and for other purposes.

clxxi. An Act to empower the Mayor Aldermen and Burgesses of the Borough of Kingston-upon-Hull to construct a new Bridge over the River Hull with Approaches thereto; to make a new Street and improvements of Streets; and for other purposes.

clxxii. An Act for conferring further Powers with reference to the Reformatories and Industrial Schools in Aberdeen.

clxxiii. An Act for altering the constitution and enlarging the powers of the Trustees of the Cart Navigation; for enabling them to deepen and improve the Navigation, to levy new Rates, and to borrow additional Money; for sanctioning a Guarantee Rate upon the Owners and Occupiers of lands and heritages in Paisley; and for other purposes.

clxxiv. An Act for the funding consolidation and capitalisation of certain debts liabilities and engagements of the Evesham Redditch and Stratford-upon-Avon Junction Railway Company by the creation and issue of new Debenture Stock in lieu thereof and for other purposes.

clxxv. An Act to incorporate a Company for the Construction of Railways between Cardiff and Penarth and Cadoxton-juxta-Barry and other places; and for other purposes.

clxxvi. An Act to confer further Powers on the Didcot Newbury and Southampton Railway Company.

clxxvii. An Act to authorise the Sale of the existing undertaking of the Belfast Central Railway Company to the Great Northern Railway Company (Ireland).

clxxviii. An Act to authorise the Rhymney Railway Company to make a new Railway and other works in the County of Glamorgan; and for other purposes.

clxxix. An Act for extending the Municipal and Police Boundaries of the City of Edinburgh, including the Royal Burgh thereof over Blackford Hill, for the purification of the Braid or Figgate Burn by interception of the sewage from the Jordan or Powburn, and conveyance of the same to the sea, and other purposes.

clxxx. An Act to extend the Boundary of the Borough of Mossley; to make further provision for the Improvement and good Government of the Borough; and for other purposes.

clxxxi. An Act for incorporating the Scarborough Bridlington and West Riding Junction Railways Company and empowering them to make and maintain Railways in the North and East Ridings of the County of York and for other purposes.

clxxxi. An Act for incorporating the Weston-super-Mare Clevedon and Portishead Tramways Company and empowering them to construct Tramways and other works in the County of Somerset and for other purposes.

clxxxiii. An Act for making further provision with respect to the Improvement and Government of the Borough of Sunderland and the issue of Corporation Stock by the Corporation of the Borough; and for other purposes.

clxxxiv. An Act to authorise the Sale and Transfer of the Portpatrick Railway and the Wigtownshire Railway to the London and North-western, the Midland, the Caledonian, and the Glasgow and South-western Railway Companies jointly; and for other purposes.

clxxxv. An Act for incorporating a Board of Drainage Commissioners with powers to drain and improve certain lands in the Parishes Townships and places of Selby Brayton Thorpe Willoughby Hambleton Wistow Scalm Park Cawood Sherburn Lennerton Rest Park South Milford Barkston Monkfryston Lumby Church-Fenton Little Fenton Biggin Ulleskelf and Ryther in the West Riding of the County of York.

clxxxvi. An Act to confer further Powers on the Neath Water Company.

clxxxvii. An Act for incorporating the East Usk Railway Company and for other purpurposes.

clxxxviii. An Act to authorise the construction of a Ship Canal to Manchester; and for other purposes.

**P.** clxxxix. An Act to confirm a Provisional Order made by the Education Department under the Elementary Education Act, 1870, to enable the School Board for London to put in force the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, and the Acts amending the same.

**P.** cxc. An Act to confirm two Provisional Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland relating to the Dublin Corporation Waterworks, and to the Dublin Corporation Waterworks and Fire Brigade Provisional Order, 1874.

cxci. An Act to enable the Local Board of Otley in the West Riding of the County of York to make additional Waterworks to establish and regulate Markets and for other purposes.

cxcii. An Act for incorporating the Shanklin and Chale Railway Company and for other purposes.

cxciii. An Act to authorise the construction of Tramways from Ballymena to Ahoghill in the County of Antrim; and for other purposes.

cxciv. An Act to enable the Colne Valley and Halstead Railway Company to re-constitute the Board of Directors to refer the affairs in that Company to Arbitration to raise additional Capital and for other purposes.

cxcv. An Act to empower the Corporation of London to construct a Bridge over the River Thames near the Tower of London with Approaches thereto and for other purposes.

cxcvi. An Act to confer additional Powers on the Corporation of Hastings with respect to the Management and Improvement of the Brough.

cxcvii. An Act for making Tramways in the County of Lancaster to be called the Manchester Middleton and District Tramways and for other purposes.

cxcviii. An Act to authorise the Mersey Railway Company to make Branch Railways in Liverpool and Birkenhead and for other purposes.

cxcix. An Act to authorise the Peckham and East Dulwich Tramways Company to construct new Tramways in the County of Surrey and for other purposes.

cc. An Act for making Railways from Worcester to Broom and for other purposes.

# PRIVATE ACTS,

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1. AN Act to naturalize His Royal Highness Prince Henry Maurice of Battenberg and to grant and confer on him all the rights privileges and capacities of a natural born subject of Her Majesty the Queen.
2. An Act to enable the Trustees of the Leeds Coloured Cloth Hall to sell the same and to regulate the application of the purchase money; and for other purposes.
3. An Act to enable the Trustees of the Earl De La Warr's Settled Estates to raise money on the security of the Estates comprised in a Settlement of the 30th day of January 1877 and to apply the money for the furtherance of building on the Bexhill Estate in the County of Sussex comprised in such Settlement and to grant options of purchase of parts of the Bexhill Estate; and for other purposes.
4. An Act to facilitate Sales of Settled Estates of the Right Honourable Lawrence Hesketh Lord Haldon at Torquay and elsewhere, and to raise money for payment of the charges on his Life Estate in such Estates and for the repair and improvement of such Estates, and for vesting in Trustees certain Policies of Assurance on the Life of Lord Haldon, and for other purposes.
5. An Act for carrying into effect the division of certain hereditaments known as the Towneley Estate in the Counties of Lancaster and York the Estate in the Forest of Bowland in the same counties and the Stella and Stanley Estates in the county of Durham and for other purposes.
6. An Act to confirm certain Powers contained in the Charter of the Governors and Guardians of the Hospital commonly called "The Foundling Hospital."
7. An Act for giving further Powers to the Leasing Authority and General Trustees of the Ramsden Estate Act 1867; and for varying in some respects the provisions of that Act; and for other purposes.

[SITTINGS OF THE HOUSE.

# SITTINGS OF THE HOUSE, SESSION 1884-85.

RETURN to an Order of the Honourable The House of Commons,
dated 3 August 1885 ;—*for*,

RETURN "of the Number of DAYS on which THE HOUSE SAT in the Session of 1884-85, stating, for each Day, the Date of the Month, and Day of the Week, the Hour of the Meeting, and the Hour of Adjournment ; and the Total Number of Hours occupied in the Sittings of The House, and the Average Time ; and showing the Number of Hours on which The House Sat each Day, and the Number of Hours after Midnight ; and the Number of Entries in each Day's Votes and Proceedings" (in continuation of Parliamentary Paper, No. 0.123, of Session 1884).

(*Sir Charles Forster.*)

| Month. | Day. | House met. | | House adjourned. | | Hours of Sitting. | | Hours after Midnight. | | Entries in Votes. |
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| 1884. | | H. | M. | H. | M. | H. | M. | H. | M. | |
| Oct. 23 | Th | 1 | 30 | 12 | 45 | 11 | 15 | 0 | 45 | 39 |
| ,, 24 | F | 4 | 0 | 12 | 45 | 8 | 45 | 0 | 45 | 58 |
| ,, 27 | M | 4 | 0 | 12 | 30 | 8 | 30 | 0 | 30 | 23 |
| ,, 28 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 12 | 45 | 8 | 45 | 0 | 45 | 12 |
| ,, 29 | W | 12 | 0 | 5 | 50 | 5 | 50 | - | - | 20 |
| ,, 30 | Th | 4 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 9 | 15 | 1 | 15 | 24 |
| ,, 31 | F | 4 | 0 | 1 | 30 | 9 | 30 | 1 | 30 | 15 |
| Total... | 7 | - | - | - | - | 61 | 50 | 5 | 30 | 191 |
| Nov. 3 | M | 4 | 0 | 2 | 45 | 10 | 45 | 2 | 45 | 16 |
| ,, 4 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 12 | 45 | 8 | 45 | 0 | 45 | 15 |
| ,, 5 | W | 12 | 0 | 5 | 30 | 5 | 30 | - | - | 11 |
| ,, 6 | Th | 4 | 0 | 12 | 45 | 8 | 45 | 0 | 45 | 26 |
| ,, 7 | F | 4 | 0 | 1 | 30 | 9 | 30 | 1 | 30 | 21 |
| ,, 10 | M | 4 | 0 | 8 | 30 | 4 | 30 | - | - | 16 |
| ,, 11 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 6 | 0 | - | - | 24 |
| ,, 13 | Th | 4 | 0 | 12 | 30 | 8 | 30 | 0 | 30 | 25 |
| ,, 14 | F | 4 | 0 | 12 | 5 | 8 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 12 |
| ,, 17 | M | 4 | 0 | 8 | 30 | 4 | 30 | - | - | 17 |
| ,, 19 | W | 12 | 0 | 2 | 15 | 2 | 15 | - | - | 13 |
| ,, 20 | Th | 4 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 | - | - | 29 |
| ,, 21 | F | 4 | 0 | 11 | 15 | 7 | 15 | - | - | 11 |
| ,, 22 | S | 2 | 30 | 3 | 45 | 1 | 15 | - | - | 9 |
| ,, 24 | M | 4 | 0 | 12 | 15 | 8 | 15 | 0 | 15 | 19 |
| Total ... | 15 | - | - | - | - | 95 | 50 | 6 | 35 | 264 |
| Dec. 1 | M | 4 | 0 | 6 | 45 | 2 | 45 | - | - | 40 |
| ,, 2 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 9 | 15 | 1 | 15 | 21 |
| ,, 3 | W | 12 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | - | - | 19 |
| | | | | A. | M. | | | | | |
| ,, 4 | Th | 4 | 0 | 5 | 15 | 13 | 15 | 5 | 15 | 39 |
| ,, 6 | S | 1 | 15 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 47 | - | - | 38 |
| Total ... | 5 | - | - | - | - | 30 | 2 | 6 | 30 | 157 |
| 1885 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Feb. 19 | Th | 4 | 0 | 7 | 30 | 3 | 30 | - | - | 116 |
| ,, 20 | F | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 138 |
| ,, 23 | M | 4 | 0 | 12 | 45 | 8 | 45 | 0 | 45 | 168 |
| ,, 24 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 12 | 35 | 8 | 35 | 0 | 35 | 91 |
| ,, 25 | W | 12 | 0 | 5 | 55 | 5 | 55 | - | - | 28 |
| ,, 26 | Th | 4 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 9 | 15 | 1 | 15 | 50 |
| ,, 27 | F | 4 | 0 | 2 | 45 | 10 | 45 | 2 | 45 | 40 |
| Total ... | 7 | - | - | - | - | 55 | 45 | 6 | 20 | 631 |
| 1885 | | H. | M. | H. | M. | M. | H. | H. | M. | |
| Mar. 2 | M | 4 | 0 | 1 | 45 | 9 | 45 | 1 | 45 | 95 |
| ,, 3 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 2 | 15 | 10 | 15 | 2 | 15 | 58 |
| ,, 4 | W | 12 | 0 | 5 | 55 | 5 | 55 | - | - | 54 |
| ,, 5 | Th | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 71 |
| ,, 6 | F | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 50 |
| ,, 9 | M | 4 | 0 | 2 | 15 | 10 | 15 | 2 | 15 | 85 |
| ,, 10 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 1 | 30 | 9 | 30 | 1 | 30 | 42 |
| ,, 11 | W | 12 | 0 | 5 | 50 | 5 | 50 | - | - | 37 |
| ,, 12 | Th | 4 | 0 | 3 | 45 | 11 | 45 | 3 | 45 | 58 |
| ,, 13 | F | 4 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 9 | 15 | 1 | 15 | 51 |
| | | | | A. | M. | | | | | |
| ,, 16 | M | 4 | 0 | 5 | 15 | 3 | 15 | 5 | 15 | 80 |
| ,, 17 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 2 | 30 | 10 | 30 | 2 | 30 | 28 |
| ,, 18 | W | 12 | 0 | 5 | 59 | 5 | 59 | - | - | 50 |
| ,, 19 | Th | 4 | 0 | 3 | 15 | 11 | 15 | 3 | 15 | 54 |
| ,, 20 | F | 4 | 0 | 2 | 15 | 10 | 15 | 2 | 15 | 59 |
| ,, 23 | M | 4 | 0 | 2 | 15 | 10 | 15 | 2 | 15 | 81 |
| ,, 24 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 2 | 15 | 10 | 15 | 2 | 15 | 50 |
| ,, 25 | W | 12 | 0 | 5 | 50 | 5 | 50 | - | - | 42 |
| ,, 26 | Th | 4 | 0 | 3 | 30 | 11 | 30 | 3 | 30 | 46 |
| ,, 27 | F | 4 | 0 | 2 | 30 | 10 | 30 | 2 | 30 | 80 |
| ,, 28 | S | 4 | 45 | 5 | 15 | 0 | 30 | - | - | 4 |
| ,, 30 | M | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 68 |
| ,, 31 | Tu | 2 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 8 | 0 | - | - | 66 |
| Total... | 23 | - | - | - | - | 208 | 34 | 40 | 30 | 1,309 |
| April 9 | Th | 4 | 0 | 12 | 45 | 8 | 45 | 0 | 45 | 74 |
| ,, 10 | F | 4 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 9 | 15 | 1 | 15 | 41 |
| ,, 13 | M | 4 | 0 | 1 | 45 | 9 | 45 | 1 | 45 | 96 |
| ,, 14 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 1 | 45 | 9 | 45 | 1 | 45 | 65 |
| ,, 15 | W | 12 | 0 | 5 | 50 | 5 | 50 | - | - | 51 |
| ,, 16 | Th | 4 | 0 | 1 | 45 | 9 | 45 | 1 | 45 | 45 |
| ,, 17 | F | 4 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 9 | 15 | 1 | 15 | 64 |
| ,, 20 | M | 4 | 0 | 1 | 30 | 9 | 30 | 1 | 30 | 77 |
| ,, 21 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 7 | 0 | - | - | 44 |
| ,, 22 | W | 12 | 0 | 5 | 50 | 5 | 50 | - | - | 77 |
| ,, 23 | Th | 4 | 0 | 12 | 45 | 8 | 45 | 0 | 45 | 76 |
| ,, 24 | F | 4 | 0 | 1 | 30 | 9 | 30 | 1 | 30 | 61 |
| ,, 27 | M | 4 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 9 | 15 | 1 | 15 | 101 |
| ,, 28 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 2 | 45 | 10 | 45 | 2 | 45 | 62 |
| ,, 29 | W | 12 | 0 | 5 | 55 | 5 | 55 | - | - | 67 |
| ,, 30 | Th | 4 | 0 | 2 | 30 | 10 | 30 | 2 | 30 | 86 |
| Total ... | 16 | - | - | - | - | 139 | 20 | 18 | 45 | 1,087 |

# SITTINGS OF THE HOUSE, SESSION 1884-5.

| Month. | | Day. | House met. | | House adjourned. | | Hours of Sitting. | | Hours after Midnight. | | Entries in Votes. |
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| 1885 | | | H. | M. | H. | M. | H. | M. | H. | M. | |
| May | 1 | F | 4 | 0 | 3 | 30 | 11 | 30 | 3 | 30 | 76 |
| ,, | 4 | M | 4 | 0 | 2 | 45 | 10 | 45 | 2 | 45 | 107 |
| ,, | 5 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 1 | 30 | 9 | 30 | 1 | 30 | 59 |
| ,, | 6 | W | 12 | 0 | 5 | 55 | 5 | 55 | - | - | 54 |
| ,, | 7 | Th | 4 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 9 | 15 | 1 | 15 | 73 |
| ,, | 8 | F | 4 | 0 | 3 | 25 | 11 | 25 | 3 | 25 | 80 |
| ,, | 11 | M | 4 | 0 | 3 | 15 | 11 | 15 | 3 | 15 | 98 |
| ,, | 12 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 2 | 15 | 10 | 15 | 2 | 15 | 82 |
| ,, | 13 | W | 12 | 0 | 5 | 55 | 5 | 55 | - | - | 64 |
| ,, | 14 | Th | 4 | 0 | 2 | 30 | 10 | 30 | 2 | 30 | 84 |
| ,, | 15 | F | 4 | 0 | 7 | 5 | 3 | 5 | - | - | 53 |
| ,, | 18 | M | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 101 |
| ,, | 19 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 6 | 15 | 2 | 15 | - | - | 53 |
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| ,, | 21 | Th | 4 | 0 | 2 | 15 | 10 | 15 | 2 | 15 | 91 |
| ,, | 22 | F | 2 | 0 | 6 | 55 | 4 | 45 | - | - | 48 |
| Total... | | 16 | - | - | - | - | 133 | 40 | 25 | 40 | 1,227 |
| June | 4 | Th | 4 | 0 | 1 | 30 | 9 | 30 | 1 | 30 | 103 |
| ,, | 5 | F | 4 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 4 | 0 | - | - | 52 |
| ,, | 8 | M | 4 | 0 | 1 | 45 | 9 | 45 | 1 | 45 | 62 |
| ,, | 9 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 4 | 45 | 0 | 45 | - | - | 58 |
| ,, | 12 | F | 4 | 0 | 5 | 15 | 1 | 15 | - | - | 92 |
| ,, | 15 | M | 4 | 0 | 9 | 45 | 5 | 45 | - | - | 128 |
| ,, | 19 | F | 4 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | - | - | 78 |
| ,, | 23 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 4 | 45 | 0 | 45 | - | - | 50 |
| ,, | 24 | W | 5 | 0 | 5 | 45 | 0 | 45 | - | - | 37 |
| ,, | 25 | Th | 4 | 0 | 4 | 30 | 0 | 30 | - | - | 33 |
| Total... | | 10 | - | - | - | - | 34 | 0 | 3 | 15 | 693 |
| 1885 | | | H. | M. | H. | M. | H. | M. | H. | M. | |
| July | 6 | M | 4 | 0 | 1 | 30 | 9 | 30 | 1 | 30 | 155 |
| ,, | 7 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 2 | 30 | 10 | 30 | 2 | 30 | 82 |
| ,, | 8 | W | 12 | 0 | 5 | 55 | 5 | 55 | - | - | 61 |
| ,, | 9 | Th | 4 | 0 | 2 | 45 | 10 | 45 | 2 | 45 | 85 |
| ,, | 10 | F | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 62 |
| ,, | 13 | M | 4 | 0 | 3 | 15 | 11 | 15 | 3 | 15 | 82 |
| ,, | 14 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 2 | 30 | 10 | 30 | 2 | 30 | 60 |
| ,, | 15 | W | 12 | 0 | 5 | 45 | 5 | 45 | - | - | 40 |
| ,, | 16 | Th | 4 | 0 | 2 | 15 | 10 | 15 | 2 | 15 | 70 |
| ,, | 17 | F | 4 | 0 | 1 | 30 | 9 | 30 | 1 | 30 | 50 |
| ,, | 20 | M | 4 | 0 | 1 | 30 | 9 | 30 | 1 | 30 | 75 |
| ,, | 21 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 3 | 45 | 11 | 45 | 3 | 45 | 58 |
| ,, | 22 | W | 12 | 0 | 5 | 50 | 5 | 50 | - | - | 42 |
| ,, | 23 | Th | 4 | 0 | 3 | 15 | 11 | 15 | 3 | 15 | 68 |
| ,, | 24 | F | 4 | 0 | 12 | 45 | 8 | 45 | 0 | 45 | 59 |
| ,, | 27 | M | 4 | 0 | 3 | 15 | 11 | 15 | 3 | 15 | 68 |
| ,, | 28 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 72 |
| ,, | 29 | W | 12 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 6 | 0 | - | - | 47 |
| ,, | 30 | Th | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 72 |
| ,, | 31 | F | 4 | 0 | 3 | 20 | 11 | 20 | 3 | 20 | 87 |
| Total... | | 20 | - | - | - | - | 190 | 35 | 39 | 5 | 1,395 |
| Aug | 3 | M | 4 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 13 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 84 |
| ,, | 4 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 2 | 30 | 10 | 30 | 2 | 30 | 61 |
| ,, | 5 | W | 12 | 0 | 5 | 50 | 5 | 50 | - | - | 43 |
| ,, | 6 | Th | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 68 |
| ,, | 7 | F | 4 | 0 | 1 | 45 | 9 | 45 | 1 | 45 | 53 |
| ,, | 10 | M | 4 | 0 | 3 | 30 | 11 | 30 | 3 | 30 | 48 |
| ,, | 11 | Tu | 4 | 0 | 3 | 45 | 11 | 45 | 3 | 45 | 31 |
| ,, | 12 | W | 3 | 0 | 7 | 5 | 4 | 5 | - | - | 38 |
| ,, | 13 | Th | 3 | 0 | 4 | 15 | 1 | 15 | - | - | 33 |
| ,, | 14 | F | 1 | 45 | Prorogation. | | | | - | - | 21 |
| Total... | | 10 | - | - | - | - | 78 | 45 | 19 | 35 | 480 |

## SUMMARY.

| Month. | Days of Sitting. | Hours of Sitting. | | Hours after Midnight. | | Entries in Votes. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | H. | M. | H. | M. | |
| 1884 | | | | | | |
| October | 7 | 61 | 50 | 5 | 30 | 191 |
| November | 15 | 95 | 50 | 6 | 35 | 264 |
| December | 5 | 30 | 2 | 6 | 30 | 157 |
| 1885 | | | | | | |
| February | 7 | 55 | 45 | 6 | 20 | 631 |
| March | 23 | 208 | 34 | 40 | 30 | 1,309 |
| April | 16 | 133 | 20 | 18 | 45 | 1,087 |
| May | 16 | 133 | 40 | 25 | 40 | 1,227 |
| June | 10 | 34 | 0 | 3 | 15 | 693 |
| July | 20 | 190 | 35 | 39 | 5 | 1,395 |
| August | 10 | 78 | 45 | 19 | 35 | 480 |
| Total | 129 | 1,028 | 21 | 171 | 45 | 7,434 |

Average Length of Sitting, Daily, 7 Hours 58 Minutes.

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### SUMMARY.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Number of Divisions on Public Business | before Midnight ... ... | 161 |
| Ditto „ „ | after Midnight ... ... | 118 |
| Ditto—Private Business „ | before Midnight ... ... | 10 |
| Ditto „ „ | after Midnight ... ... | — |
| Total Number of Divisions in Session 1884-5 ... ... | | 289 |

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| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Total Number of Bills which received the Royal Assent : | | |
| (1.) Introduced into the House ... ... ... ... | 104 | |
| (2.) Brought from the House of Lords ... ... ... | 24 | |
| | | 128 |
| Total Number of Bills introduced into, but not passed by, the Commons ... | | 102 |
| Total Number of Bills brought from the Lords, but not passed by the Commons ... ... ... ... ... ... .. | | 7 |
| Total Number of Bills passed by the Commons, but not by the Lords ... | | 1 |
| Total ... ... | | 238 |

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| | |
|---|---|
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| Total ... ... | 230 |

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|---|---|
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|---|---|
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The names which immediately follow the title of a Bill are those of the Peers or hon. Members who have charge of the Bill.

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The entries—Moved, "That the Bill be now read $2^a$;" Amendt. "this day six months;" Question put, " That 'now,' &c."—indicate the usual form of raising the issue—namely, "That the word 'now' stand part of the Question."

"*The Ballot*, Amendt. on Committee of Supply" indicates that the Question was raised by means of an Amendment moved on the Motion (after the Order of the Day for the House to go into Committee of Supply had been read), "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair." In this case the issue is formally raised by the Motion "To leave out from the word 'That' to the end of the Question, in order to add" other words. the decision is taken on the Question, "That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question."

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48° & 49° VICTORIÆ.

1885.

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## EXPLANATION OF THE ABBREVIATIONS.

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*Pay for Extra Troop Drills*, Question, Lord Harris; Answer, The Earl of Morley *Mar* 9, [295] 420

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*Army Administration*
Address for Papers (*The Viscount Bury*) *Mar* 13, [295] 1055; after short debate, Motion agreed to

*Army (Auxiliary Forces)—Organization and Equipment*
Moved to resolve, "That the present state of the Auxiliary Forces, deficient as they are in the organization and equipment necessary to enable them, if required, to take and keep the field, demands the immediate and earnest attention of those who are responsible for their efficiency and for the security of the country" (*The Earl of Wemyss*) *May* 15, [298] 571; after debate, on Question? Cont. 20, Not-Cont. 23; M. 3; resolved in the negative

*Army (Commissariat and Transport Services)*
Moved, "That the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the Commissariat and Transport Services of the British Army in the recent Egyptian Campaign (1882), and to consider what changes, if any, are required to secure increased efficiency in these Services, be re-appointed:—That Mr. Brand, Dr. Cameron, Colonel Milne Home, Mr. Carington, Mr. Brown, Mr. Jackson, Sir Henry Fletcher, Lord Edward Cavendish, Colonel Nolan, Mr. Earp, Mr. Herbert, Dr. Farquharson, and Colonel Stanley be the Members of the said Committee:—That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records:—That Five be the quorum of the Committee" (*Colonel Stanley*) *Mar* 17, [295] 1557; after short debate, Question put; A. 49, N. 68; M. 19 (D. L. 63)

*Army Organization—Third Battalions*
Moved, "That, in consequence of the severe strain now being placed upon the British Army, an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty praying that Her Majesty may be graciously pleased to direct that the recommendation made by the Military Committee appointed in 1871-72 for the formation of a third battalion, in the event of both the line battalions of a regiment serving out of this country, may at once be put into execution" (*The Earl of Galloway*) *April* 17, [297] 1; after short debate, Motion withdrawn

*Army (Reserve)—First-Class Army Reserve Men*
Address for, "Return of the number of First Class Army Reserve men in each regimental district who have been registered as desirous of civil employment in accordance with General Order 79, of June 1884" (*The Earl of Ducie*) *Mar* 19, [295] 1670; after short debate, Motion agreed to *P.P.* (76)

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*Army Reserve Force — The Militia* — LORDS—cont.
The Queen's Messages considered *Mar* 2, 1731
Moved, "That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, thanking Her Majesty for Her Most Gracious Message communicating to this House that Her Majesty had thought it necessary to direct by Proclamation that certain persons who would otherwise be entitled, in pursuance of the terms of their enlistment, to be transferred to the Reserve, shall continue in army service for such period, not exceeding the period for which they might be required to serve if they were transferred to the Reserve and called out for permanent service, as to Her Majesty may seem expedient
"That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, thanking Her Majesty for Her Most Gracious Message communicating to this House that Her Majesty had thought it necessary to order by Proclamation the embodiment of the Militia" (*The Earl Granville*); after short debate, Resolutions agreed to, *nemine dissentiente*

*Army Reserve Force*
COMMONS
Message from Her Majesty brought up, and
294] read by Mr. Speaker *Feb* 20, 929
Her Majesty's Message considered *Mar* 2, 1784
Moved, "That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, thanking Her Majesty for Her Most Gracious Message communicating to this House that Her Majesty had thought it necessary to direct, by Proclamation, that certain persons who would otherwise be entitled, in pursuance of the terms of their enlistment, to be transferred to the Reserve, shall continue in Army Service for such period, not exceeding the period for which they might be required to serve if they were transferred to the Reserve and called out for permanent service, as to Her Majesty may seem expedient" (*The Marquess of Hartington*)
Amendt. to add, at end, "but that this House regrets that Her Majesty's Ministers have thought it right to advise that certain persons, who otherwise would be entitled to be transferred to the Reserve, should continue in Army Service, in connection with a determination to interfere by force of arms in the internal Government of the Soudan, and to engage in military operations in that Country, beyond those required to enable the Troops under the command of Lord Wolseley to withdraw from it" (*Mr. Labouchere*); Question proposed, "That those words be there added;" after debate, Question put; A. 19, N. 149; M. 130; D. L. 36); after short debate, main Question put, and agreed to

*Militia*
Message from Her Majesty brought up, and read by Mr. Speaker; short debate thereon *Feb* 20, 930
Her Majesty's Message considered *Mar* 2, 1803
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*Army Reserve Force—Militia*—COMMONS—cont.

Moved, "That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, thanking Her Majesty for Her Most Gracious Message communicating to this House that Her Majesty had thought it necessary to order, by Proclamation, the embodiment of Militia" (*The Marquess of Hartington*); after short debate, Motion agreed to

*Army and Militia Reserve Forces*

LORDS

Message from the Queen delivered by The Earl
296] of Kimberley *Mar* 26, 622

Ordered, That the said Message be taken into Consideration To-morrow

Message considered accordingly *April* 14, 1600

Moved, "That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, thanking Her Majesty for informing this House that the present state of public affairs and the extent of the demands on the military forces of Her Majesty for the protection of the interests of the Empire having constituted, in the opinion of Her Majesty, a case of great emergency within the meaning of the Acts of Parliament in that behalf, Her Majesty deems it proper to provide additional means for Her Military service, and that, therefore, in pursuance of those Acts, Her Majesty has thought it right to communicate to the House of Lords that Her Majesty is about to cause Her Reserve Force and Her Militia Reserve Force, or such part thereof as Her Majesty shall from time to time think necessary, to be called out for permanent service" (*The Earl Granville*); after short debate, Motion agreed to, *nemine dissentiente*

*Army and Militia Reserve Forces*

COMMONS

Message from Her Majesty brought up, and
296] read by Mr. Speaker *Mar* 26, 648

Ordered, That Her Majesty's Most Gracious Message be taken into Consideration upon Monday next

Her Majesty's Most Gracious Message considered *April* 13, 1478

Moved, "That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, thanking Her Majesty for Her Most Gracious Message communicating to this House that Her Majesty was about to cause Her Reserve Force, and Her Militia Reserve Force, or such part thereof, as Her Majesty shall, from time to time, think necessary, to be called out for permanent Service" (*The Marquess of Hartington*)

After short debate, Amendt. to add, at end of Question "and at the same time expressing a hope that the available forces of Her Majesty will be speedily strengthened by the prompt withdrawal of the troops from the Soudan" (*Mr. Labouchere*); Question proposed, "That those words be there added;" after debate, Question put; A. 39, N. 148; M. 109 (D. L. 95)

Main Question put, and agreed to

*The Calling Out of the Reserves*, Question, Sir Stafford Northcote; Answer, The Marquess

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*Army and Militia Reserve Forces*—COMMONS—cont.

296] of Hartington *Mar* 27, 848; Questions, Colonel Stanley, Sir R. Assheton Cross; Answers, The Marquess of Hartington, Sir William Harcourt *Mar* 30, 975

*The Reserve Men*, Question, Colonel Nolan; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 30, 991

*Officers of the Reserve — Equipment Money*, Question, Mr. Molloy; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *April* 16, 1863

*Army Reserve Men—Termination of Service with the Colours*, Question, Observations, The Marquess of Lothian; Reply, The Under Secretary of State for the Colonies (The Earl of Dunraven) *Aug* 10, [300] 1545; Question, Mr. Harris; Answer, The Secretary of State for War (Mr. W. H. Smith) *Aug* 11, 1730

*Embodiment of the Militia*, Question, Mr. Ritchie; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 26, 681

*The Militia Reserves*, Question, Mr. Greer; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 30, 986

*The Militia and Army Reserves*, Questions, Mr. Chaplin, Mr. Ritchie; Answers, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 30, 998

*Army and Navy — Defence of Colonial Possessions—The Correspondence*

Observations, The Earl of Carnarvon; Reply, The Earl of Northbrook; short debate thereon *Nov* 13, [293] 1534 *P.P.* [4226]

*Army and Navy Expenditure*

Notice of Motion for the Appointment of a Select Committee on, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Feb* 19, [294] 858; Question, Sir Baldwyn Leighton; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Feb* 24, 1168; Question, Mr. Buchanan; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Feb* 26, 1409

**Army Annual Bill**

(*The Marquess of Hartington, The Judge Advocate, Sir Thomas Brassey*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Mar* 20 [Bill 104]

Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°"
296] *Mar* 23, 366

After short debate, Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Kenny*); after further short debate, Motion withdrawn

Original Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 2°

Committee; Report *Mar* 26, 767

Moved, "That the Bill be now read 3°" *Mar* 27, 957

Amendt. to leave out from "be," add "re-committed in respect of a new Clause" (*Mr. Kenny*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after short debate, Amendt. withdrawn; main Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 3°

*l.* Read $1^{a}$ * (*The Earl of Morley*) *Mar* 28 (No. 62)

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(*Mr. Secretary Smith, Mr. Guy Dawnay*)

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*c*. Matter considered in Committee *July* 16, [299] 1011; Res. agreed to
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  Amendt. to leave out from "be," add "re-committed, in order that provision may be made that the two additional Governors of the Hospital shall be nominated from time to time by the Corporation of the City of Limerick" (*Mr. Biggar*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That 'now read 3°,' &c.;" after short debate, Amendt. withdrawn
  Main Question put; Bill read 3°

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c. Ordered; read 1° * *Mar* 12 [Bill 95]
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- *c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Nov* 13 [Bill 36]
- 2R. [Dropped]

**Commons Inclosure (Llanybyther) Provisional Order Bill** (*Mr. Henry H. Fowler, Secretary Sir William Harcourt*)
- *c.* Ordered * *May* 11
- Read 1° * *May* 12 [Bill 175]
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**Commons Regulation (Drumburgh) Provisional Order Bill** (*Mr. Henry H. Fowler, Secretary Sir William Harcourt*)

*c.* Ordered * *May* 11
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**Compensation for Improvements (Ireland) Bill** (*Colonel Nolan, Mr. Martin, Mr. Biggar, Mr. O'Shea, Mr. Small, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Sheil, Mr. Sullivan*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Nov* 13 [Bill 35]
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" *Nov* 19, [294] 12; after short debate, Question put; A. 32, N. 40; M. 8 (D. L. 18)

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**Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) Bill** (*Sir Arthur Otway, Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Henry Holland*)

*c.* Res. in Committee *July* 29
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*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. of Iddesleigh*) *Aug* 6
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**Consolidated Fund (No. 1) Bill** (*Sir Arthur Otway, Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Courtney*)

*c.* Res. in Committee *Nov* 21
Res. reported, and agreed to; Bill ordered; read 1° * *Nov* 22
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*l.* Read 1ª * (*The Earl Granville*) *Dec* 3
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**Consolidated Fund (No. 2) Bill** (*Sir Arthur Otway, Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Hibbert*)

*c.* Resolutions in Committee *Mar* 19
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**Consolidated Fund (No. 3) Bill** (*Sir Arthur Otway, Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Hibbert*)

*c.* Res. in Committee *May* 7
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Amendt. to leave out from "Bill be," add "re-committed in respect of a new Clause" (*Mr. Shaw Lefevre*); Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after short debate, Question put; A. 42, N. 24; M. 18 (D. L. 234)
Main Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 3°
*l.* Read 1ª* (*Lord Hobhouse*) *July* 17 (No. 185)
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(*Mr. Rankin, Sir Joseph Bailey, Mr. Biddell, Mr. Duckham*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Feb* 20 [Bill 57]
Bill withdrawn * *July* 8

**Corporate Property Security Bill**
(*Sir Charles Dilke, Mr. Attorney General*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Feb* 20 [Bill 66]
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*Corporation of London Tower Bridge Bill*
*c.* Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" (*Sir Charles Forster*) *Mar* 5, [295] 63; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 2°
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**County Courts (Divorce) Bill**
(*Mr. James Howard, Mr. Broadhurst*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Mar* 2 [Bill 77]
2R. [Dropped]

**County Courts (Ireland) Bill**
(*Mr. Findlater, Mr. Gregory, Mr. Small*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Mar* 3 [Bill 78]
2R. [Dropped]

**County Justices Bill** [H.L.]
(*The Earl Beauchamp*)
*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *Mar* 24 (No. 55)
Bill withdrawn * *April* 13

**County Justices' Clerks Bill**
(*Mr. Arthur O'Connor, Dr. Commins, Mr. Molloy*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Mar* 18 [Bill 98]
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*County Lunatic Asylums — Middlesex County Asylums—Insufficiency of Accommodation*
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*c.* Res. considered in Committee, and, after short debate, agreed to *Mar* 23, [296] 365
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**Criminal Law Amendment Bill** [H.L.]
(*The Earl of Dalhousie*)

*l.* Presented ; read 1ª * *Mar* 26 (No. 58)
296] Read 2ª, after short debate *April* 13, 1439
297] Committee *April* 28, 939
, Report *April* 30, 1092 (No. 92)
. Read 3ª, after short debate *May* 1, 1284
*c.* Read 1º * (*Mr. H. H. Fowler*) *May* 6 [Bill 159]
298] 2R. *May* 22, 1175 ; after short debate, Debate adjourned
299] Read 2º, after debate *July* 9, 197
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. 275 ; Question, Mr. Onslow ; Answer, The Secretary to the Treasury (Sir Henry Hol-
. land) *July* 21, 1512
  Order for Committee read ; Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair"
300] *July* 30, 578
  Amendt. to leave out from "That," add "in view of the fact that there already exists much legislation of the kind, little known or resorted to, and that besides much of it is of a contradictory character partly for the regulation and partly for the repression of vice, it is expedient that further inquiry and more deliberation be given to the subject before proceeding with the said Committee" (*Mr. Hopwood*) *v.* ; Question proposed, "That the words, &c. ;" after short debate, Amendt. withdrawn ; main Question put, and agreed to ; Committee—R.P.
. Committee—R.P. *July* 31, 686
. Committee ; Report *Aug* 3, 850
. Considered *Aug* 6, 1336 ; after long debate, Further Proceeding on Consideration deferred
  Further Proceeding on Consideration resumed
. *Aug* 7, 1461 ; after long debate, Moved, "That the Bill be now read 3º ;" Motion agreed to ; Bill read 3º, and passed, with Amendts. [Bill 257]

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*l.* Returned from the Commons agreed to, with Amendts. ; the said Amendts. to be printed ; and to be considered on Monday next *Aug* 7 (No. 242)
Commons' Amendts. considered, and agreed to *Aug* 10, [300] 1549
Royal Assent *Aug* 14 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 69]

*Criminal Law Amendment [Cost of Prosecutions]*

*c.* Res. considered in Committee, and agreed to *July* 13, [299] 585
Res. reported *July* 14

**Crofters' Holdings (Scotland) Bill**

(*The Lord Advocate, Secretary Sir William Harcourt, Mr. Solicitor General for Scotland*)

*c.* Motion for Leave (*Sir Charles W. Dilke*) *May* 13, [298] 464 ; after short debate, Motion postponed
Motion for Leave (*The Lord Advocate*) *May* 14, 566 ; Debate adjourned
Debate resumed *May* 18, 843 ; after debate, Question put, and agreed to ; Bill ordered ; read 1° * [Bill 184]
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" *July* 13, [299] 566 ; after short debate, Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. R. H. Paget*) ; after further short debate, Question put ; A. 81, N. 47 ; M. 34 (D. L. 223) ; Debate adjourned
2R. [Dropped]

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*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Feb* 19 [Bill 51]
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Ordered, That all Petitions against the Bill presented two clear days before the meeting of the Committee be referred to the Committee; that the Petitioners praying to be heard by themselves, their Counsel, or Agents, be heard against the Bill, and Counsel heard in support of the Bill
Ordered, That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records
Ordered, That Three be the quorum
And, on *July* 24, Committee nominated as follows: —Mr. Herbert Gladstone (Chairman), Sir John Whittaker Ellis, Mr. Molloy:—Mr. Sclater-Booth, Mr. Lyulph Stanley added by the Committee of Selection
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(*Sir Arthur Otway, Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Hibbert*)

*c.* Resolutions in Committee *April* 30
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Read 1° * *May* 4 [Bill 154]
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" *June* 8, [298] 1417
Amendt. to leave out from "That," add "this House regards the increase proposed by this Bill in the Duties levied on Beer and Spirits as inequitable in the absence of a corresponding addition to the Duties on Wine, and declines to impose fresh Taxation on Real Property until effect has been given to its Resolution of 17th April 1883 and of 28th March 1884, by which it has acknowledged further measures of relief to be due to ratepayers in counties and boroughs in respect of local charges imposed on them for National services" (*Sir Michael Hicks-Beach*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after long debate, Question put; A. 252, N. 264; M. 12
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(*Sir Arthur Otway, Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Henry Holland*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *July* 9 [Bill 223]
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*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. of Iddesleigh*) *July* 30 (No. 220)
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"1. Corporations of Chester and Flint, River Dee Commissioners, and others interested in the navigation of the River Dee ;
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  - Reformatory and Industrial Schools, Ireland, [299] 1857
- Tramways, [299] 1623
- Tramways and Public Companies (Ireland) Act, 1883, [300] 509

**Earldom of Mar Restitution Bill** [H.L.]
(*The Lord Privy Seal*)

*l.* Presented (by Her Majesty's command); read 1ª *May* 8, [298] 1 (No. 107)
- Read 2ª, and referred to a Select Committee, after short debate *May* 19, 880
- And, on *July* 14, the Lords following were named of the Committee:—L. Chancellor, L. Privy Seal, D. Bedford, M. Bute, E. Sydney, E. Redesdale, E. Selborne, L. Hopetoun, L. Ker, L. Rosebery, L. Penzance, L. Moncreiff, L. Coleridge, L. Blackburn, L. Watson, L. Bramwell, L. FitzGerald
- Report * *July* 28 (No. 217)
- Committee; after short debate *July* 30, [300] 494
- Report *; read 3ª *July* 31

*c.* Moved, "That the Bill be now read 1°" (*The Attorney General, Sir Richard Webster*) *July* 31, 683; after short debate, Motion agreed to; Bill read 1°
- Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°;" after short debate, Motion agreed to; Bill read 2°, and committed to a Select Committee
- Committee nominated as follows:—Sir Arthur Otway (Chairman), Mr. Attorney General, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Secretary Sir Richard Cross, Dr. Farquharson, Sir William Harcourt, Sir Farrer Herschell, Sir Henry James, Mr. Cochran-Patrick, Mr. Solicitor General

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*Earldom of Mar Restitution Bill*—cont.
Moved,* "That the name of the hon. Member for Kirkcaldy (Sir George Campbell) be added" (*The Attorney General*); Motion agreed to; name added
Ordered, That Three be the quorum
Ordered, That the Committee have leave to sit and proceed upon Monday next
Bill to be printed [Bill 256]
Report of Select Comm. *Aug* 3
Read 3° * *Aug* 4
*l.* Royal Assent *Aug* 6 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 48]

**East India Army Pensions Deficiency Bill** (*Sir Henry Holland, Colonel Walrond*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *July* 29 [Bill 255]
Read 2°, after short debate *July* 31, [300] 811
Committee *; Report *Aug* 3
Considered * *Aug* 4
Read 3° * *Aug* 5
*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. of Iddesleigh*) *Aug* 6 (No. 239)
Read 2ª *; Committee negatived *Aug* 7
Read 3ª * *Aug* 10
Royal Assent *Aug* 14 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 67]

*East India Army Pensions Deficiency [Creation of Annuity]*
*c.* Res. considered in Committee, and agreed to *July* 31, [300] 811
Res. reported *Aug* 3

**East India Loan (£10,000,000) Bill** (*Sir Arthur Otway, Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Kynaston Cross*)
*c.* Resolution in Committee *Mar* 19, [295] 1806
Res. reported *Mar* 20
Resolution reported, and agreed to; Bill ordered; read 1° * *Mar* 23 [Bill 109]
Read 2°, after debate *May* 21, [298] 1042
Committee; Report *July* 6, 1776
Considered * *July* 7
Read 3° * *July* 8
*l.* Read 1ª * (*The Lord Harris*) *July* 9 (No. 164)
Read 2ª, after short debate *July* 10, [299] 271
Committee *; Report *July* 13
Read 3ª * *July* 16
Royal Assent *July* 22 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 28]

**East India (Unclaimed Stocks) Bill** (*Mr. Kynaston Cross, Mr. Hibbert*)
*c.* Ordered * *April* 9
Read 1° * *April* 10 [Bill 125]
Read 2°, after debate *April* 23, [297] 606
Committee *; Report *May* 7
Considered * *May* 8
3R. *May* 11, [298] 291; after short debate [House counted out]
Read 3° * *May* 14
*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. of Kimberley*) *May* 15 (No. 113)
Read 2ª * *June* 5
Committee *; Report *June* 8
Order for 3R. discharged * *June* 9
Read 3ª * *June* 25
Royal Assent *July* 16 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 25]

*East India Unclaimed Stocks [Expenses]*
*c.* Res. considered in Committee, and agreed to *May* 1, [297] 1469
Res. reported *May* 4

Eaton, Mr. H. W., *Coventry*
Army—Royal Infirmary, Dublin, [295] 1444

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*Ecclesiastical Affairs* (*Ireland*)—see title *Papal See, The—Diplomatic Communication with the Vatican*

*Ecclesiastical Commissioners*
Personal Explanation, Mr. George Russell *Feb* 26, [294] 1397
*The Taxation of Legal Expenses*, Question, Mr. Labouchere; Answer, The Secretary of State for the Home Department (Sir R. Assheton Cross); Question, Mr. Arthur Arnold [no reply] *July* 30, [300] 510
Thirty-seventh Report *P.P.* [4323]

**Ecclesiastical Commissioners Bill** [H.L.] (*The Lord Bishop of Lichfield*)
*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *Feb* 20 (No. 17)
Read 2ª * *Mar* 5
Committee *; Report *Mar* 6
Read 3ª * *Mar* 9
*c.* Read 1° * *July* 9 [Bill 227]
Read 2° * *July* 14
Committee *; Report; read 3° *July* 16
*l.* Royal Assent *July* 22 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 31]

**Ecclesiastical Commissioners (No. 2) Bill** [H.L.]—*formerly* **Archdeaconries Bill** (*The Lord Archbishop of Canterbury*)
*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *June* 19 (No. 150)
Read 2ª *July* 14, [299] 607
Committee * *July* 16 (No. 180)
Report * *July* 17
Read 3ª * *July* 20
*c.* Read 1° * *July* 29 [Bill 253]
Read 2° * *July* 31
Committee *; Report; read 3° *Aug* 3
*l.* Royal Assent *Aug* 6 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 55]

Eckersley, Mr. N., *Wigan*
Parliamentary Elections (Redistribution), Comm. Schedule 2, Amendt. [296] 158

Ecroyd, Mr. W. F., *Preston*
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Ecroyd, Mr. W. F.—*cont.*

Post Office (Telegraph Department)—Press Messages, [294] 626

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Edinburgh, H.R.H. the Duke of

Malta—List of Nobles, [297] 133

*Edinburgh Extension and Sewerage Bill* [*Lords*] (*by Order*)

c. Considered *July* 27, [300] 37 ; after short debate, Moved, "That the Bill be re-committed, in respect of Clause 36, to the former Committee" (*Sir Arthur Otway*) ; Question put, and agreed to ; Leave to the Committee to sit and proceed forthwith

**Educational Endowments (Ireland) Bill** [H.L.] (*The Lord President*)

*l.* Presented ; read 1ª * *Mar* 16 (No. 44)

Read 2ª *Mar* 23, [296] 207

Committee * *Mar* 27

Report * *April* 16

Read 3ª * *April* 17

*c.* Read 1° * (*Mr. Attorney General for Ireland*) *May* 12 [Bill 176]

Read 2°, after debate *Aug* 11, [300] 1855

Committee ; Report, after short debate *Aug* 12, 1894

Considered *Aug* 13, [301] 25

Moved, "That the Bill be re-committed in respect of a new Clause" (*Mr. Attorney General for Ireland*) ; Question put, and agreed to ; Committee ; Report ; Considered ; read 3°

*l.* Bill returned from the Commons with Amendts. ; the said Amendts. considered (on Motion) and agreed to *Aug* 13

Royal Assent *Aug* 14 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 78]

*Educational Endowments* (*Ireland*) [*Salaries and Expenses*]

*c.* Res. considered in Committee, and agreed to *Aug* 12, [300] 1913

Res. reported *Aug* 13

*Education Department* (*England and Wales*) (*Questions*)

*Brailes Endowed School—A Political Schoolmaster*, Question, Mr. Wills ; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Mar* 23, [296] 221

*Constitution of the Department*, Question, Sir John Lubbock ; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *Feb* 27, [294] 1610

*College of Aberystwith*, Question, Mr. Morgan Lloyd ; Answer, The Vice President of the Council (Mr. E. Stanhope) *Aug* 3, [300] 842

*Education of the Blind, Deaf, and Dumb—Inquiry by Royal Commission*, Question, Mr. Ackers ; Answer, Mr. Mundella *May* 18, [298] 701 ; Question, Mr. Ackers ; Answer, The Vice President of the Council (Mr. E. Stanhope) *July* 23, [299] 1625

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*Education Department* (*England and Wales*)—cont.

*Instruction of Deaf-Mute Children*, Question, Mr. Woodall ; Answer, The Vice President of the Council (Mr. E. Stanhope) *Aug* 4, [300] 1053

*Emigration to the Colonies—Industrial Schools*, Question, Mr. Rankin ; Answer, Mr. H. H. Fowler *Feb* 20, [294] 920

*English Masters of English Schools Abroad*, Question, Mr. Alderman Lawrence ; Answer, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *May* 21, [298] 1028

*Higher and Intermediate Education in Wales*, Question, Lord Norton ; Answer, Lord Carlingford *Mar* 27, [296] 820

*Inspectors of English and Irish Schools*, Question, Mr. Deasy ; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Nov* 21, [294] 128

*Lower Middle Class Education*, Question, Mr. Roundell ; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Oct* 31, [293] 655

*National Education — A Royal Commission*, Question, Mr. J. G. Talbot ; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *July* 17, [299] 1053

*Pensions to Teachers*, Question, Mr. Brodrick ; Answer, Mr. Mundella *May* 4, [297] 1488

*Queen's Scholarships at Training Colleges*, Question, Mr. Sclater-Booth ; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Feb* 27, [294] 1604

*School Board Divisions* (*Metropolis*), Question, Mr. Cubitt ; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Mar* 30, [296] 972

*School Examinations—The Portsmouth District*, Questions, Sir H. Drummond Wolff ; Answers, Mr. Mundella *April* 23, [297] 475

*School Grants*, Question, Mr. Loder ; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Mar* 31, [296] 1096

*Court of Bankruptcy, Newcastle-on-Tyne—The Vicar of St. Mark's, South Shields*, Questions, Mr. Broadhurst ; Answers, The Vice President of the Council (Mr. E. Stanhope) *July* 23, [299] 1629 ; *July* 31, [300] 672 ; *Aug* 11, 1728

*Science Teachers*, Question, Mr. Justin Huntly M'Carthy ; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Mar* 30, [296] 967

*Technical Education*, Questions, Sir Bernhard Samuelson, Mr. Broadhurst ; Answers, Mr. Mundella *Mar* 16, [295] 1237

*The Revised Code*, 1885, Question, Mr. Stanley Leighton ; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Mar* 13, [295] 1079 ; Questions, Mr. J. G. Talbot, Mr. W. H. Smith ; Answers, Mr. Mundella *Mar* 26, [296] 671 ; Question, Mr. R. H. Paget ; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *April* 13, 1467 *P.P.* [4451]

*The Instructions to Inspectors*, Question, Mr. Stanley Leighton ; Answer, Mr. Mundella *May* 18, [298] 701

*Voluntary Schools not Supported by Private Subscriptions—Scale of Fees*, Question, Mr. Jesse Collings ; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Mar* 6, [295] 288

*Teachers in Voluntary Schools—Mr. Draper*, Question, Mr. Labouchere ; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Mar* 12, [295] 868

*Voluntary Training Homes*, Question, Mr. Rankin ; Answer, Sir William Harcourt *June* 8, [298] 1397

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*Education Department (England and Wales)*—cont.

*Elementary Schools*

*Appointment of Schoolmistress at Ashbocking, Suffolk,* Question, Mr. Jesse Collings; Answer, The Vice President of the Council (Mr. E. Stanhope) *July* 21, [299] 1398

*Children's Penny Dinners,* Question, Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Nov* 13, [293] 1581

*Grove Road Board School, Regent's Park,* Question, Sir Thomas Chambers; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Dec* 2, [294] 436

*Higher Education in Board Schools,* Observations, Lord Norton; Reply, Lord Carlingford *Nov* 17, [293] 1812

*London Board Schools — Annual Cost per Scholar,* Question, Lord Algernon Percy; Answer, The Vice President of the Council (Mr. E. Stanhope) *Aug* 4, [300] 1037

*Religious Instruction in Board Schools,* Question, Mr. Picton; Answer, The Vice President of the Council (Mr. E. Stanhope) *July* 21, [299] 1399

*Teachers in Board Schools,* Question, Mr. Illingworth; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Oct* 27, [293] 252

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*Over-Pressure at Great Warford School,* Question, Lord Stanley of Alderley; Answer, Lord Carlingford *Nov* 10, [293] 1357

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*Bugbrooke School Board,* Question, Mr. Labouchere; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Dec* 4, [294] 630

*Croydon School Board,* Question, Mr. Spencer Balfour; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Mar* 3, [294] 1910; Question, Mr. Grantham; Answer, Mr. Mundella *April* 14, [296] 1625

*Croydon and West Bromwich School Boards,* Question, Sir Arthur Bass; Answer, The Vice President of the Council (Mr. E. Stanhope) *July* 10, [299] 279

*Harmondsworth School Board—Conviction of a Member,* Question, Mr. Beresford Hope; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Mar* 9, [295] 431

*London School Board,* Question, Mr. Puleston; Answer, The Vice President of the Council (Mr. E. Stanhope) *Aug* 11, [300] 1729;—*Expenditure,* Question, Mr. J. G. Talbot; Answer, The Vice President of the Council (Mr. E. Stanhope) *Aug* 4, [300] 1054

*Totnes School Board—Nonconformist Children,* Question, Mr. Samuel Morley; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Mar* 12, [295] 877

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*Loans to School Boards,* Question, Mr. W. H. James; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Mar* 5, [295] 109; Question, Mr. Isaac Wilson; Answer, Mr. Mundella *April* 27, [297] 815

*Rate of Interest of Loans,* Question, Mr. C. H. James; Answer, Mr. Courtney *Nov* 13, [293] 1563

*School Board Elections—The List of Voters,* Question, Mr. Arthur Arnold; Answer, Sir Charles W. Dilke *June* 4, [298] 1185; Question, Mr. Mundella; Answer, The Vice President of the Council (Mr. E. Stanhope) *July* 21, [299] 1406

*School Board Taxation,* Question, Lord Algernon Percy; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Mar* 6, [295] 284

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*Education Department—Education (Muir's School, &c. Scheme)*

Moved, "That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying Her Majesty to withhold Her consent from section 3 of the Scheme, now lying upon the Table of the House, for the management of the Endowments known as Muir's School Fund, Millar's and Peadie's School, Wilson's Charity School, M'Lachlan's Free School, and Graham's Free School, all in the County of Lanark and burgh of Glasgow" (*Dr. Cameron*) *April* 14, [296] 1751; after short debate, Question put; A. 8, N. 50; M. 42 (D.L. 100)

*Education Department—Elementary Education—Revised Code,* 1885

Moved, "That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying Her Majesty that She will be graciously pleased to withhold Her consent from the Education Code in respect of Article 109 (a), with a view of providing that a larger proportion of the grant now given to public elementary schools should be allotted in the form of a fixed payment on average attendance" (*Mr. J. G. Talbot*) *April* 13, [296] 1569; after debate, Question put; A. 53, N. 117; M. 64 (D.L. 99)

*Education—Secondary Education in Board Schools (Metropolis)*

Motion for a Return (*Lord Norton*) *July* 17, [299] 1020; after short debate, Motion agreed to; Return ordered to be laid before the House

*Education of the Blind*

*The Royal Commission,* Question, Sir Gabriel Goldney; Answer, The Secretary of State for the Home Department (Sir R. Assheton Cross) *Aug* 10, [300] 1580

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*Education of the Blind*—cont.

*Constitution of the Commission*, Questions, Mr. Dawson, Mr. Sexton; Answers, The Secretary of State for the Home Department (Sir R. Assheton Cross) *Aug* 11, [300] 1727

*Education, Science, and Art Department*

*Administration*, Question, Viscount Lymington; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *Nov* 6, [293] 1116

*Royal Irish Academy — Celtic Manuscripts*, Question, Mr. Justin Huntly M'Carthy; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *April* 27, [297] 808

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*Employment of English Officials*, Question, Lord Truro; Answer, The Earl of Northbrook; short debate thereon *Dec* 5, [294] 836

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*The Earl of Northbrook's Report*, Observations, The Earl of Northbrook; short debate thereon *Nov* 20, [294] 24; Questions, Earl Stanhope, The Marquess of Salisbury; Answers, Earl Granville *Mar* 17, [295] 1430

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*Cost of the Army of Occupation*, Question, Observations, The Earl of Jersey; Reply, The Earl of Morley *Mar* 20, [296] 2

*The Egyptian Loan—The International Agreement—Joint Guarantee*, Questions, Observations, The Marquess of Salisbury, The Duke of Marlborough; Replies, Earl Granville, The Earl of Kimberley *Mar* 27, [296] 808

*The Egyptian Loan Bill and Foreign Control*, Question, Lord Lamington; Answer, Earl Granville *April* 28, [297] 938

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*Expeditionary Force up the Nile—Instructions to General Lord Wolesley*, Observations, The Marquess of Salisbury; Reply, Earl Granville; short debate thereon *Nov* 3, [293] 765

*The Expedition up the Nile*, Question, Observations, Viscount Hardinge; Reply, The Earl of Morley *April* 30, [297] 1094

*Sir Charles Wilson*, Question, Viscount Enfield; Answer, The Under Secretary of State for War (Viscount Bury) *July* 14, [299] 609

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*Rumoured Fall of Khartoum*, Observations, Earl Granville; Questions, The Marquess of Salisbury, Lord Stanley of Alderley; Answers, Earl Granville *Nov* 3, [293] 764

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*The Friendly Tribes*, Question, Observations, Viscount Bury; Reply, Earl Granville; Observations, The Marquess of Salisbury *May* 1, [297] 1273; Question, The Earl of Wemyss; Answer, The Marquess of Salisbury *Aug* 4, [300] 1031

*The Egyptian Frontier*, Question, Observations, The Earl of Galloway, Viscount Cranbrook; Reply, Earl Granville; Questions, The Earl of Milltown, The Marquess of Salisbury; Answers, The Earl of Kimberley *May* 4, [297] 1474

*Suppression of the "Bosphore Egyptien"*

*Egypt and France—Rupture of Diplomatic Relations*, Questions, The Marquess of Salisbury; Answers, Earl Granville *April* 28, [297] 939

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*Sir Evelyn Baring*, Observations, Earl Granville, The Earl of Jersey; Question, The Marquess of Salisbury; Answer, Earl Granville *May* 8, [298] 4 *P.P.* [4385]

*War in the Soudan*

*The Military Expedition*

*The Suakin-Berber Railway*, Questions, Observations, The Marquess of Lothian; Reply, The Earl of Morley; short debate thereon *Mar* 5, [295] 49

*Vote of Thanks to the Troops*, Question, Observations, The Earl of Galloway; Reply, The Earl of Morley *Mar* 12, [295] 841

*General Graham's Force—Action near Suakin* (*March* 22), Question, Observations, Lord Greville, Lord de Ros, Lord Napier of Magdala; Reply, The Earl of Kimberley *Mar* 26, [296] 639

*Occupation of Suakin*, Question, Observations, The Earl of Wemyss, Viscount Bury; Reply, Earl Granville *May* 21, [298] 1011

*Egypt and the Soudan—Vote of Censure*

Notices of Resolutions, The Marquess of Salis-
294] bury, Lord Wentworth *Feb* 23, 1002

Moved to resolve, "That this House, having taken into consideration the statements that have been made on behalf of Her Majesty's Government, is of opinion that—

(1.) The deplorable failure of the Soudan expedition to attain its object has been due to the undecided councils of the Government and to the culpable delay attending the commencement of operations;

(2.) That the policy of abandoning the whole of the Soudan after the conclusion of military operations will be dangerous to Egypt and inconsistent with the interests of the Empire" (*The Marquess of Salisbury*) *Feb* 26, 1311

Amendt. To leave out from "That," insert "an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, humbly representing to Her Majesty that the course pursued by Her Majesty's Government in respect to the affairs of Egypt and the Soudan has involved a great sacrifice of valuable lives and a heavy expenditure without any beneficial result, and has rendered it imperatively necessary in the interests of the British Empire and of the Egyptian people that Her Majesty's Government should not employ British forces to occupy the Soudan or to prevent the exercise by the Egyptian people of their right to select their own government" (*The Lord Wentworth*); after long debate, Debate adjourned

Debate resumed *Feb* 27, 1522; after long debate, on Question, that the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Motion? resolved in the affirmative

Original Motion put; Cont. 189, Not-Cont. 68; M. 121; Resolution agreed to

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*Egypt* (*Finance, &c.*) — *International Agreement—Joint Guarantee of Loan*

Moved to resolve "That considering the loss of life and treasure that has been incurred by this country in Egypt, any arrangements with the Powers, either political or financial, which may tend to impair or diminish the influence of England in the administration of that country, such as the acceptance of any form of loan to the Egyptian Treasury under a joint guarantee of the Powers, would be unacceptable to this House" (*The Duke of Marlborough*) *Mar* 19, [295] 1672; after short debate, Motion withdrawn

*Egypt—The Expeditionary Force—Army Chaplains in the Soudan*

Address for, "Return of the number of the chaplains attached to Her Majesty's forces in the Soudan, and the distribution of them" (*The Earl of Carnarvon*) *Mar* 16, [295] 1211; after short debate, Motion agreed to *P.P.* (47)

*Egypt* (*War in the Soudan*)—*Colonies*—(*Military Service*)

Moved, "That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty humbly thanking Her Majesty for having graciously accepted the loyal offer of military service from New South Wales; and expressing the satisfaction with which this House has heard the announcement that the like loyal offers of military service from other Colonies, and also from India, will, should occasion arise, be duly accepted" (*The Earl of Wemyss*) *Mar* 16, [295] 1213; after short debate, Motion agreed to, nemine dissentiente

Her Majesty's Answer to the Address brought up, and read by the Lord Steward of the Household (Earl Sydney) *Mar* 23, [296] 196 *P.P.* (52)

*Egypt and the Soudan—Military Expedition*

Moved, "That there be laid before this House, Return of the number (approximate) of British troops employed in Egypt and the Soudan" (*The Earl of Longford*) *May* 8, [298] 5; after short debate, Motion withdrawn

*Egypt — Soudan Expedition — Vote of Thanks to Her Majesty's Military and Naval Forces*

Notice of Motion, The Marquess of Salisbury *Aug* 11, [300] 1720

Moved to resolve, "1. That the Thanks of this House be given to General Lord Wolseley, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., for the distinguished skill and ability with which he planned and conducted the Expedition of 1884-85 by the Nile to the Soudan" [and other Resolutions] (*The Marquess of Salisbury*) *Aug* 12, 1859; after short debate, the said Resolutions severally agreed to, nemine dissentiente

Ordered, That the Lord Chancellor do communicate the said Resolutions to General Lord Wolseley, Admiral Lord John Hay, the

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*Egypt—Soudan Expedition—Vote of Thanks to Her Majesty's Military and Naval Forces*—cont.

Viceroy and Governor-General of India, and the Secretary of State for the Colonies, respectively, and that they be requested by the Lord Chancellor to communicate the same to the several Officers referred to therein

EGYPT

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*The Wives of Marines Serving in the Soudan*, Question, Sir John Hay; Answer, Mr. Caine *Mar* 19, [295] 1684

*Troops in the Soudan—Sun Spectacles*, Question, Captain Aylmer; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 10, [295] 622

*Public Prayer for the Troops*, Questions, Sir John Hay, Mr. Sexton; Answers, Mr. Gladstone *Feb* 24, [294] 1173

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*Number and Cost of Boats*, Question, Mr. Marriott; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Nov* 17, [293] 1846

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*Death of General Sir Herbert Stewart and General Earle,* Question, Viscount Hardinge; Answer, The Earl of Morley; Observations, The Duke of Cambridge *Feb* 20, [294] 898; Question, Sir Walter B. Barttelot; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington, 928

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*Battle of Abu Klea,* Questions, Sir Walter B. Barttelot; Answers, The Secretary of State for War (Mr. W. H. Smith) *Aug* 3, [300] 839; *Aug* 4, 1055

*Death of Colonel Burnaby at Abu Klea,* Question, Mr. Montagu Scott; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Feb* 23, [294] 1040

*Steamers on the Nile,* Question, Sir Henry Tyler; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Feb* 20, [294] 912; Question, Mr. Gourley; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Feb* 24, 1169; Question, Mr. Gourley; Answer, The Secretary of State for War (Mr. W. H. Smith) *July* 13, [299] 427

*The Force at Korti,* Question, Sir John Hay; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Feb* 26, [294] 1405; Question, Mr. Warton; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *April* 28, [297] 964

*The Biscuit Stores at Korti,* Question, Dr. Cameron; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 27, [296] 833

*Damage of War Stores,* Question, Dr. Cameron; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Feb* 27, [294] 1618

*The Nile Route,* Question, Sir George Campbell; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 2, [294] 1769

*The Abu Klea Wells,* Questions, Mr. Storey, Mr. Staveley Hill; Answers, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 3, [294] 1899

*Casualties in Lord Wolseley's Force,* Question, Sir Walter B. Barttelot; Answer, Sir Arthur Hayter *Mar* 3, [294] 1907 *P.P.* (97)

*Health of the Troops on the Nile,* Question, Sir Frederick Milner; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *April* 21, [297] 313; Questions, Viscount Lewisham, Colonel Dawnay, Mr. O'Kelly; Answers, The Marquess of Hartington *May* 7, 1842; Question, Sir Frederick Milner; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *May* 14, [298] 486

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*The Canadian Voyageurs,* Question, Lord George Hamilton; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *May* 18, [298] 713

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*Rumoured Return,* Question, Sir Edmund Lacon; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Nov* 20, [294] 72

*Lord Wolseley's Despatch of February 5,* Question, Mr. Brodrick; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Feb* 27, [294] 1606

*Lord Wolseley's Address to the Troops at Korti,* Question, Sir Henry Tyler; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 5, [295] 114

*Lord Wolseley's Report,* Question, Mr. M'Coan; Answer, The Secretary of State for War (Mr. W. H. Smith) *Aug* 4, [300] 1064

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*The Marines at Suakin,* Question, General Alexander; Answer, Sir Thomas Brassey *Oct* 30, [293] 524; Question, Sir H. Drummond Wolff; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Nov* 21, [294] 130; Question, Colonel North; Answer, Sir Thomas Brassey *Mar* 26, [296] 650

*Allowances to Officers,* Question, Mr. J. Lowther; Answer, Sir Thomas Brassey *Nov* 22, [294] 204; Observations, Mr. J. Lowther; short debate thereon, 205

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*Nile Advance,* Questions, Sir George Campbell, Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett; Answers, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 5, [295] 117

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*The Coolies at Suakin*, Question, Dr. Cameron; Answer, Mr. Caine *May* 11, [298] 138

*Occupation of Suakin*, Questions, Mr. Percy Wyndham, Mr. A. J. Balfour, Mr. Lewis, Mr. Gregory, Colonel King-Harman, Mr. Heneage, Mr. O'Kelly; Answers, Mr. Gladstone, The Marquess of Hartington *May* 11, [298] 165; Question, Sir H. Drummond Wolff; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *May* 21, 1036

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*The Friendly Tribes at Suakin*, Questions, Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett; Answers, The Marquess of Hartington *May* 14, [298] 489

*The Troops at Suakin*, Question, Dr. Cameron; Answer, The Secretary of State for War (Mr. W. H. Smith) *July* 13, [299] 419; Questions, Mr. James Stuart, Mr. R. Preston Bruce, Colonel King-Harman; Answers, The Secretary of State for War (Mr. W. H. Smith) *Aug* 3, [300] 834

*The Expeditions to Suakin*, Question, Sir Henry Tyler; Answer, The Secretary of State for War (Mr. W. H. Smith) *Aug* 6, [300] 1267

*The Gardner Guns*, Question, Mr. Tottenham; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Feb* 23, [294] 1039

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*General Graham's Advance*, Question, Sir Walter B. Barttelot; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 19, [295] 1707

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*Withdrawal of the Forces*, Question, Mr. Arthur Arnold; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 30, [296] 995; Observations, Mr. Samuel Smith *Mar* 31, 1128; Observations, Mr. W. Fowler; short debate thereon, 1138; Questions, Colonel Stanley; Answers, The Marquess of Hartington *May* 15, [298] 625

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*The Coldstream Guards*, Question, Viscount Lewisham; Answer, Sir Arthur Hayter *May* 19, [298] 947

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*The Australian Contingent*, Questions, Mr O'Donnell, Mr. Macfarlane, Mr. William Redmond; Answers, Mr. Evelyn Ashley *April* 30, [297] 1119; Question, Mr. Finch-Hatton; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *May* 18, [298] 718

*The Indian Contingent*, Question, Sir George Campbell; Answer, Mr. J. K. Cross *June* 8, [298] 1406; Question, Mr. M'Laren; Answer, The Secretary of State for War (Mr. W. H. Smith) *July* 23, [299] 1621

*Camp Followers*, Question, Sir George Campbell; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *April* 20, [297] 150

*Expenses*, Explanation, Mr. J. K. Cross *Mar* 13, [295] 1087

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*Veterinary Arrangements*, Question, Dr. Cameron; Answer, Mr. J. K. Cross *Mar* 20, [296] 44

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Marquess of Hartington *Nov* 4, [293] 906;
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Campbell; Answers, The Marquess of Hart-
294] ington *Feb* 20, 912; Questions, Dr. Cameron,
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295] Hartington *Mar* 5, 124; Question, Mr.
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296] Hartington *April* 16, 1871; Questions,
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297] Brand *May* 7, 1832; Question, Mr.
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298] Answers, Sir Arthur Hayter *May* 19,
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*Water Supply—Pipes and Pumps*, Questions Colonel Stanley, Mr. J. Lowther, Mr. Staveley Hill ; Answers, Mr. Brand *Mar* 6, [295] 289 ; Question, Mr. Broadhurst ; Answer, Mr. Brand ; Question, Mr. J. Lowther [no reply] *Mar* 9, 451 ; Questions, Mr. W. H. Smith, Mr. J. Lowther, Mr. Ritchie ; Answers, Mr. Brand *Mar* 12, 874

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*Hired Transports*, Question, Baron Henry De Worms ; Answer, Mr. Caine *Mar* 19, [295] 1683

*War in the Soudan*

Questions, Sir Stafford Northcote, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Sir H. Drummond Wolff, Mr. Ritchie, Mr. Gorst, Sir John St. Aubyn ; Answers, The Marquess of Hartington, Lord
294] Edmond Fitzmaurice *Feb* 19, 859 ; Question, Mr. Stuart-Wortley ; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington, 862 ; Questions, Mr. Guy Dawnay, Mr. Arthur O'Connor, Mr. O'Kelly, Sir Walter B. Barttelot ; Answers, The Marquess of Hartington ; Question, Mr.
296] Onslow [no reply] *Mar* 26, 680 ; Questions, Mr. A. J. Balfour, Mr. John Morley, Lord Randolph Churchill, Lord Eustace Cecil, Mr. Labouchere ; Answers, Mr. Gladstone, The Marquess of Hartington *May* 7, [297] 1860

*Abyssinia—Admiral Hewett's Mission*, Questions, Mr. Stanley Leighton ; Answers, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *Oct* 30, [293] 528

*Casualties in the Soudan*, Question, Sir Walter B. Barttelot ; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 2, [294] 1781 ;—*Lists of Casualties*, Question, Mr. Bryce ; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 6, [295] 288

*Observance of the Rules of Civilized Warfare*, Question, Colonel Nolan ; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 6, [295] 296

*Osman Digna*, Question, Sir George Campbell ; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 31, [296] 1106

*Medical Officers*, Question, Mr. Beresford ; Answer, The Secretary of State for War (Mr. W. H. Smith) *July* 23, [299] 1625

*Suppression of the "Bosphore Egyptien"*

Questions, Mr. O'Donnell, Mr. O'Kelly ; Answers, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *April* 9,
296] 1166 ; Question, Mr. O'Kelly ; Answer, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *April* 10, 1304 ; Question, Mr. O'Donnell ; Answer, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *April* 13, 1468 ; Question, Sir Stafford Northcote ; Answer, Mr.

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297] Gladstone *April* 20, 158 ; Questions, Lord Randolph Churchill, Mr. O'Donnell ; Answers, Mr. Gladstone, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *April* 20, 163 ; Question, Mr. O'Donnell ; Answer, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *April* 30, 1129 ; Statement, Mr. Gladstone ; Observations, Sir Stafford Northcote ; Reply, Mr. Gladstone *May* 4, 1506 ; Question, Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett ; Answer, Mr. Speaker *May* 5, 1653 ; Questions, Mr. Montagu Scott, Sir R. Assheton Cross ; Answers, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice, Mr. Gladstone *May* 7, 1856 ; Question, Mr. J. W. Lowther ; Answer, Lord Edmond Fitz-
298] maurice *May* 11, 143 ; Questions, Mr. Gibson, Sir R. Assheton Cross, Sir Stafford Northcote, Mr. Onslow ; Answers, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice, Mr. Gladstone *May* 21, 1025 ; Question, Mr. Gibson ; Answer, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *May* 22, 1149

*Recall of the French Consul*, Question, Sir Stafford Northcote ; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *April* 24, [297] 660 ; Question, Mr. Montagu Scott ; Answer, Sir William Harcourt ; short debate thereon, 793

*The Incriminatory Articles*, Questions, Mr. Jerningham, Sir Frederick Milner ; Answers, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *June* 8, [298] 1405

*Egypt and France*

*Suppression of the "Bosphore Egyptien"—Rupture of Diplomatic Relations*, Questions, Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett, Sir Stafford Northcote, Mr. Bourke, Mr. O'Kelly ; Answers, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice, Mr. Gladstone *April* 24, [297] 661 ; Questions, Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett, Mr. O'Kelly ; Answers, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *April* 27, 818 ; Question, Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett ; Answer, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *April* 28, 965
*P.P.* [4385]

*Egypt*

Moved, "That the Copy presented of further Correspondence respecting the affairs of Egypt (by Command) do lie upon the Table" (*Mr. Gladstone*) *Feb* 19, [294] 873 ; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to
*P.P.* [4203] [4204] [4278]

*Egypt and the Soudan—Vote of Censure*

Notice of Motion, Sir Stafford Northcote
294] *Feb* 19, 859 ; Notice of Amendment, Sir Henry Tyler *Feb* 20, 906 ; Notices of Amendments, Mr. Labouchere, Mr. Mac Iver *Feb* 23, 1020 ; Notice of Amendment, Lord George Hamilton *Feb* 25, 1310 ; Notices of Amendments, Mr. Heneage, Mr. C. B. M'Laren *Feb* 26, 1394

Moved, "That an humble Address be presented to the Queen, humbly representing to Her Majesty that the course pursued by Her Majesty's Government in respect to the affairs of Egypt and the Soudan has involved a great sacrifice of valuable lives and a heavy expenditure without any beneficial result, and has rendered it imperatively necessary in the interests of the British Empire and of

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the Egyptian people that Her Majesty's Government should distinctly recognise, and take decided measures to fulfil, the special responsibility now incumbent on them to assure a good and stable Government to Egypt and to those portions of the Soudan which are necessary to its security" (*Sir* 294] *Stafford Northcote*) *Feb* 23, 1052

Amendt., to leave out from the first word "That," add "this House, while refraining from expressing an opinion on the policy pursued by Her Majesty's Government in respect to the affairs of Egypt and the Soudan, regrets the decision of Her Majesty's Government to employ the forces of the Crown for the overthrow of the power of the Mahdi" (*Mr. John Morley*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after long debate, Debate adjourned

Debate resumed [Second Night] *Feb* 24, 1193; after long debate, Debate further adjourned

Debate resumed [Third Night] *Feb* 26, 1425; after long debate, Debate further adjourned

Debate resumed [Fourth Night] *Feb* 27, 1627; after long debate, Question put; A. 288, N. 302; M. 14; Div. List, A. & N. 1719

Question proposed, "That the words 'This House, while refraining from expressing an opinion on the policy pursued by Her Majesty's Government in respect to the affairs of Egypt and the Soudan, regrets the decision of Her Majesty's Government to employ the forces of the Crown for the overthrow of the Mahdi' be there added" (*Mr. John Morley*)

Amendt. to proposed Amendt., to leave out from "This," add "Government has failed to indicate any policy in reference to Egypt and the Soudan which justifies the confidence of this House or the Country" (*Lord George Hamilton*); Question proposed, "That the words, &c;" after short debate, Question put; A. 112, N. 455; M. 343 (D. L. 34)

Question proposed, "That the words 'Government has failed to indicate any policy in reference to Egypt and the Soudan which justifies the confidence of this House or the Country' be there added;" Question put; A. 277, N. 299; M. 22 (D. L. 35)

*Egypt (Finance, &c.) — Policy of Her Majesty's Government*

Amendt. on 3R. of Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) Bill *Aug* 5, To leave out from "That," add "this Bill should not be proceeded with until the Government has explained to the House the policy of the Government with regard to Egypt, and the conditions under which the recent guaranteed loan was issued" (*Mr. Labouchere*) *v.*, [300] 1200; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after debate, Question put, and agreed to

*Egypt (Military Expedition)—Army in Egypt*

Amendt. on Committee of Supply *Mar* 19, To leave out from "That," add "it is not proper that Her Majesty's soldiers should be exposed to the deadly Summer climate of

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Upper Egypt, and that Her Majesty's subjects should be taxed to protect Egypt, not for Her Majesty, nor for the Egyptians, but for the bondholders foreign to Egypt, to whom the revenue is assigned" (*Sir George Campbell*) *v.*, [295] 1713; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after short debate, Question put, and agreed to

*Egypt—Return of Naval and Military Expenditure—Loss of Life and Casualties*

Moved for, "Return of the total sums spent by the Imperial and Indian Governments on naval and military operations in or connected with Egypt, on its civil administration, and on any other matters relating to that country since 1st January 1882 up to the present time: Also, for a Return of the officers and men who have lost their lives and of the number invalided home in consequence of our operations in Egypt between the above-mentioned dates" (*The Earl of Jersey*) *May* 19, [298] 908; after short debate, Motion amended, by addition of the words ("so far as it can be given,") and agreed to *P.P.* (97) (115) (357)

*Egypt—Soudan Expedition — Vote of Thanks to Her Majesty's Military and Naval Forces*

Moved, "That the Thanks of this House be given to General Lord Wolseley, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., for the distinguished skill and ability with which he planned and conducted the Expedition of 1884-5 by the Nile to the Soudan" [and other Resolutions] (*Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer*) *Aug* 12, [300] 1872; after short debate, Resolutions agreed to, Nemine Contradicente

*Egypt (The Eastern Soudan)*

Moved to resolve, "That, in the opinion of this House, until a settled government has been established in Eastern Soudan, in the interests of civilization, of the native population, and of commerce, and for the security of Egypt, this country cannot relieve itself of the responsibilities it has incurred through the warlike operations that have, during the last two years, been twice undertaken in that part of the Soudan" (*The Earl of Wemyss*) *May* 18, [298] 655

Amendt. To leave out all after the first ("That") insert ("this House accepts with satisfaction the promise of Her Majesty's Government to recall Her Forces from the Soudan, and considers the construction of a railway from Suakin by military force through a hostile population would be inconsistent with the pledge just given to Parliament and the country. Moreover this House declines to assume any responsibility for commercial, civilizing, or philanthropic enterprises outside the admitted obligations and interests of Great Britain" (*The Lord Wentworth*); after debate, Amendt. and original Motion withdrawn

*Egyptian Loan—The Convention of March 18, 1885*
Considered in Committee *Mar* 26, [296] 681
Moved, "That Her Majesty be authorised to guarantee the payment of an annuity of three hundred and fifteen thousand pounds sterling for the purpose of a loan, to be raised by the Government of Egypt, in pursuance of the Convention signed at London on the eighteenth day of March 1885, between Her Majesty and the Governments of Austria-Hungary, France, Germany, Italy, and Russia, with the authority of Turkey; and that provision be made out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom, or the growing produce thereof, for the issue of such sums of money from time to time, as may be required, to pay any sums which may at any time be required to fulfil the guarantee of Her Majesty in respect of such annuity, conformably to the tenor of Her Majesty's engagement as specified in the said Convention" (*Mr. Gladstone*)
Amendt., to leave out from "That," add "the proposals for adjusting the finances of Egypt contained in the Convention of March 18th, and the collateral arrangement, indicated in the Papers presented to Parliament, for regulating, without any previous communication to Parliament, the international position of the Suez Canal are unsatisfactory, and do not warrant the agreement into which the Government have provisionally entered" (*Mr. Thomas Bruce*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after long time spent therein, Committee—R.P.
Considered in Committee *Mar* 27, 849
Question and Amendt. again proposed; after long time spent therein, Question put; A. 294, N. 246; M. 48
Div. List, A. and N., 953
Main Question put, and agreed to
Res. reported, and agreed to *Mar* 30, 1048
Moved, "That leave be given to bring in a Bill upon the said Resolution" (*Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer*); after short debate [House counted out]

**Egyptian Loan Bill**
(*Sir Arthur Otway, Mr. Gladstone, Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Hibbert*)
*c.* Resolution in Committee *Mar* 30
Resolution reported, and agreed to; Bill ordered; read 1° * *Mar* 31 [Bill 122]
Read 2°, after short debate *April* 9, [296] 1287
Order for Committee read; Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair" *April* 16, 1874
Amendt., to leave out from "That," add "this House, taking into consideration the terms of the Declarations of the Great Powers of the 17th March, declines to proceed to the discussion of the details of this Bill until it shall have before it the Convention which is to be concluded with regard to the Suez Canal" (*Sir R. Assheton Cross*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after debate, Amendt. withdrawn
Main Question, "That Mr. Speaker, &c." put, and agreed to; Committee; Report

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*Egyptian Loan Bill*—cont.
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 3°" *April* 17, [297] 121; after short debate, Question put; A. 42, N. 17; M. 25 (D. L. 113); Bill read 3°
*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. Granville*) *April* 20 (No. 74)
Read 2ª, after short debate *April* 23, 443
Committee *; Report *April* 24
Read 3ª *April* 28, 953; after short debate, Bill passed
Royal Assent *May* 21 [48 *Vict.* c. 11]

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**Elections in Counties (Hours of Poll) Bill**
(*Mr. Arthur Elliot, Mr. Grey, Mr. Stafford Howard, Mr. Cochran-Patrick*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Oct* 24 [Bill 19]
294] Read 2°, after short debate *Dec* 3, 558
Order for Committee read; Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair" *Dec* 4, 767
Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Sexton*); after short debate, Motion withdrawn
Original Question again proposed, 778; after debate, original Question put, and agreed to; Committee, 796
Moved, "That the Chairman do report Progress, and ask leave to sit again on Saturday;" Question put, and agreed to; Committee—R.P.
Committee; Report *Mar* 2, 1862
Order for Consideration, as amended, read
295] *Mar* 6, 401; after short debate, Bill re-committed
Committee (*on re-comm.*); Report *Mar* 12, 1040 [Bill 85]
Considered *Mar* 13, 1180; after short debate, Bill read 3°
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Carrington*) *Mar* 16 (No. 43)
Read 2ª * *Mar* 23
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Read 3ª * *April* 17
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*Electric Lighting Act*, 1882—*Legislation*
Question, Mr. E. Stanhope; Answer, Mr. Chamberlain *April* 13, [296] 1457; Question, Mr. Warton; Answer, The Secretary to the Board of Trade (Baron Henry De Worms) *July* 13, [299] 417

*Elementary Education Act*, 1876—*Payment of School Fees*
Question, Mr. Salt; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Nov* 14, [293] 1709

**Elementary Education Provisional Orders Confirmation (Birmingham, &c.) Bill** [H.L.] (*The Lord President*)

*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *April* 23 (No. 80)
Read 2ª * *May* 7
Committee * *July* 6
Report * *July* 7
Read 3ª * *July* 9
*c.* Read 1° * *July* 10 [Bill 228]
Read 2° * *July* 15
Report * *July* 28
Read 3° * *July* 29
*l.* Royal Assent *July* 31 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. cxxix]

**Elementary Education Provisional Order Confirmation (London) Bill** [H.L.] (*The Lord President*)

*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *April* 23 (No. 79)
Read 2ª * *May* 7
Committee * *July* 9
Report * *July* 10
Read 3ª * *July* 13
*c.* Read 1° * *July* 13 [Bill 233]
2R. deferred, after short debate *July* 20, [299] 1184
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*l.* Royal Assent *Aug* 14 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. clxxxix]

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- Medical Relief Disqualification Removal, Comm. [299] 1443
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- *c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *Feb* 20 [Bill 61]
- 2R. [Dropped]

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- *c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *July* 21 [Bill 238]
- Read 2° * *July* 23
- Committee ; Report ; read 3°, after short debate *July* 27, [300] 207
- *l.* Read 1ª * (*The Lord Chancellor, Lord Halsbury*) *July* 28 (No. 212)
- Read 2ª * *July* 31
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- Report * *Aug* 4 (No. 228)
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- *c.* Lords Amendts. *Aug* 7 [Bill 260]
- *l.* Royal Assent *Aug* 14 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 74]

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(*Sir Arthur Otway, Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Henry Holland*)

*c.* Res. in Committee *July* 9
Res. reported, and agreed to; Bill ordered; read 1° * *July* 10 [Bill 229]
Read 2° * *July* 16
Committee *; Report *July* 20
Considered * *July* 21
Read 3° * *July* 22
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Earl of Iddesleigh*) *July* 23
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## Expiring Laws Continuance Bill

(*Mr. Herbert, Sir Henry Holland*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *July* 24 [Bill 247]
Read 2° * *July* 28
Committee *; Report *July* 30
Read 3° * *July* 31
*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. of Iddesleigh*) *Aug* 3 (No. 229)
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*Enforcement of Act in Ireland*, Question, Mr. P. J. Power; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *April* 27, [297] 810

## Explosive Substances Act (1883) Amendment Bill

(*Sir Herbert Maxwell, Lord Algernon Percy*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Feb* 20 [Bill 59]
2R. [Dropped]

## Factory Acts (Extension to Shops) Bill

(*Sir John Lubbock, Mr. Burt, Lord Randolph Churchill, Mr. Pell*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Oct* 30 [Bill 23]
Read 2°, after debate *July* 9, [299] 235
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*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *April* 16 (No. 69)
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*c.* Read 1° * (*Secretary Colonel Stanley*) *May* 7 [Bill 165]
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*l.* Royal Assent *Aug* 14 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 60]

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*c.* Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" (*Sir Charles Forster*) *April* 17, [297] 5
  Amendt. to leave out "now," add "upon this day six months" (*Mr. Hicks*); Question proposed, "That 'now' &c.;" after short debate, Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 2°
  Moved, "That it be an Instruction to the Committee to limit the powers of the Company to the construction of a Railway between Ipswich and Six Mile Bottom, and provide that the inclinations of roads shall in no case be steeper than 1 in 20, and that no bridge carrying a Railway over a road shall be of a less span than twenty-five feet" (*Mr. Hicks*); after short debate, Motion withdrawn

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*l.* Presented ; read 1ª * *April* 21 (No. 77)
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2ª" *May* 7, [297] 1815 ; after short debate, on Question ? Cont. 32, Not-Cont. 33 ; M. 1 ; resolved in the negative

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*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *April* 23 [Bill 139]
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Moved, "That a Select Committee be appointed to consider the working of the Friendly Societies Act, 1875, with regard to the admission of new Societies to registry" (*The Lord Greville*) *June* 5, [298] 1329; after short debate, on Question? Cont. 9, Not-Cont. 50; M. 41; resolved in the negative

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*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *April* 14 [Bill 126]
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Read 3° * *May* 8
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Sudeley*) *May* 11 (No. 108)
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**Gas and Water Provisional Orders (No. 2) Bill** (*Mr. Holms, Mr. Chamberlain*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *May* 1 [Bill 149]
Read 2° * *May* 12
Report * *June* 12
Read 3° * *June* 15
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Sudeley*) *June* 15 (No. 136)
Read 2ª * *June* 23
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*l.* Moved, "That the Bill be now read 3ª" *July* 24, [299] 1758
Moved, "That so much of Standing Order No. 116 be suspended as requires the insertion in the Bill of provisions forfeiting in certain contingencies to the Crown money deposited under the Standing Orders" (*The Lord Ventry*); after short debate, further debate adjourned
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*l.* Presented; read 1ª* *Mar* 27 (No. 61)
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*c.* Read 1º* (*Mr. Norwood*) *May* 1 [Bill 153]
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(*The Marquess of Salisbury*)

*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *July* 13 (No. 177)

Read 2ª *July* 16, [299] 889

Committee, after short debate *July* 20, 1169

Report *July* 21, 1338 (No. 196)

Read 3ª, after short debate; Bill passed *July* 24, 1769

*c.* Read 1° * (*Sir R. A. Cross*) *July* 24 [Bill 248]

Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" *Aug* 10, [300] 1585

Amendt. to leave out from "That," add "it is inexpedient at this stage of the Session to initiate legislation involving the principle of a National subsidy towards aiding any locality in providing dwellings for the working class in such locality" (*Mr. Lyulph Stanley*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after debate, Question put, and agreed to; main Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 2°

Order for Committee read; Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair" *Aug* 11, 1745; after debate, Question put; A. 59, N. 6; M. 53 (D. L. 282); Committee; Report

Considered *Aug* 12, 1888; after short debate, Queen's Consent signified; Bill read 3°

*l.* Commons' Amendts. *Aug* 12 (No. 252)

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*c.* Lords' Reasons considered *Aug* 13, 26

Moved, "That this House doth not insist on the Amendt. disagreed to by the Lords" (*Sir R. Assheton Cross*); Question put, and agreed to

*l.* Returned from the Commons with the Amendt. to which the Lords have disagreed, not insisted on *Aug* 13

Royal Assent *Aug* 14 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 72]

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*c.* Moved, "That the Bill be now read 3°" (*Sir Charles Forster*) *May* 14, [298] 466; after short debate, Motion withdrawn
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*India—East India Expenses (Military Expedition to the Soudan)*
Moved, "That, Her Majesty having directed a Military Expedition of Her Native forces charged upon the revenues of India to be despatched for service in the Soudan and Nubia, this House consents that the ordinary pay of such troops, as well as the ordinary charges of any vessels belonging to the Government of India that may be employed in the Expedition, which would have been

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*India—East India Expenses* (*Military Expedition to the Soudan*)—cont.

charged upon the revenues of India if such troops or vessels had remained in that country or seas adjacent, shall continue to be so chargeable: Provided, That if it shall become necessary to replace the troops or vessels so withdrawn by other vessels or Native forces, the expense of raising, maintaining, and providing such vessels or forces shall be repaid out of any moneys which may be provided by Parliament for the purposes of the said Expedition" (*Mr. J. K. Cross*) *Mar* 5, [295] 223; after debate, Debate adjourned

Debate resumed *Mar* 9, 558; after debate, Question put; A. 88, N. 23; M. 65 (D. L. 45)

### *India—East India Expenses* (*Military Expedition to the Soudan*)

Moved to resolve, "That Her Majesty having directed a military expedition of Her native forces charged upon the revenues of India to be despatched for service in the Soudan and Nubia, this House consents that the ordinary pay of such troops as well as the ordinary charges of any vessels belonging to the Government of India that may be employed in the expedition, which would have been charged upon the revenues of India if such troops or vessels had remained in that country or seas adjacent, shall continue to be so chargeable: Provided that, if it shall become necessary to replace the troops or vessels so withdrawn by other vessels of native forces, the expense of raising, maintaining, and providing such vessels or forces shall be repaid out of any moneys which may be provided by Parliament for the purposes of the said expedition" (*The Earl of Kimberley*) *Mar* 16, [295] 1222; after short debate, Motion agreed to

### *India—East India* (*Revenue Accounts*)—*The Annual Financial Statement*

Question, Sir Robert Fowler; Answers, The Secretary of State for India (Lord Randolph Churchill), The Chancellor of the Exchequer *July* 30, [300] 526; Question, General Sir George Balfour; Answer, The Secretary of State for India (Lord Randolph Churchill) *July* 31, 676

Ordered, That the several Accounts and Papers which have been presented to the House in this Session of Parliament, relating to the Revenues of India, be referred to the consideration of a Committee of the whole House" *Aug* 3

Resolved, That this House will, upon Thursday, resolve itself into the said Committee

Considered in Committee *Aug* 6, 1286

Moved, "That it appears, by the Accounts laid before this House, that the total Revenue of India for the year ending the 31st day of March 1884 was £71,727,421, including £13,240,507 received from Productive Public Works; that the Total Expenditure in India and in England was £70,339,925, including £12,032,754 spent

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on Productive Public Works (Revenue Account); that there was an excess of Revenue over Expenditure in that year of £1,387,496; and that the Capital Expenditure on Productive Public Works in the same year was £3,992,029, including a Charge of £566,261 incurred in the redemption of previously existing liabilities" (*Lord Randolph Churchill*); after long debate, Question put, and agreed to

Resolution reported *Aug* 7

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## Industrial and Reformatory Schools (Ireland) Loans Bill (*Colonel Colthurst, Mr. William Shaw, Mr. Patrick Martin, Colonel Nolan, Mr. Moore*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Dec* 1 [Bill 42]
Bill withdrawn * *Mar* 11

## Industrial Schools (Ireland) Bill

(*Colonel Colthurst, Colonel Nolan, Mr. Shaw, Mr. Martin, Mr. Thomas Dickson, Mr. Blennerhassett*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Mar* 13 [Bill 96]
Read 2° * *April* 27
Committee *; Report; read 3° *April* 30
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord FitzGerald*) *May* 1 (No. 95)
Read 2ª * *May* 7
Committee *; Report *May* 8
Read 3ª * *May* 12
Royal Assent *May* 21 [48 *Vict.* c. 19]

## Infants Bill (*The Lord FitzGerald*)

*l.* Read 1ª * (No. 7)
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Bill reported * *Mar* 17 (No. 46)
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Read 3ª *April* 30, 1084; after short debate, Bill passed
*c.* Read 1° * (*Mr. Bryce*) *May* 4 [Bill 157]

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Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" *Aug* 3, [300] 1025; Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Onslow*); Question put; A. 17, N. 54; M. 37 (D. L. 269)
Original Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 2°
Committee deferred *Aug* 11, 1856

*Inland Revenue* — See title *Ways and Means—Inland Revenue*

**Intermediate Education (Wales) Bill** (*Mr. Mundella, Mr. Osborne Morgan, Lord Richard Grosvenor*)
*c.* Motion for Leave (*Mr. Mundella*) *May* 21, [298] 1136; Motion agreed to; Bill ordered; read 1°* [Bill 195]
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*Precedence at State Entertainments*, Questions, Mr. Healy, Mr. Jerningham, Mr. Callan, Mr. Sexton, Mr. Macartney; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman; Question, Mr. Arthur O'Connor [no reply] *Mar* 3, [294] 1893
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*Appointment of Medical Officers*, Question, Mr. T. D. Sullivan; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *July* 27, [300] 57

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*Ex-Inspectors (the Magistracy)*, Questions, Mr. Deasy ; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Nov* 21, [294] 127

*Explosives Acts—Appointment of Inspectors*, Question, Mr. P. J. Power ; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *July* 17, [299] 1055

*Extra Pay for Acting as Inspectors of Weights and Measures*, Question, Colonel Colthurst ; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Nov* 10, [293] 1360 ; Question, Mr. M'Coan ; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Mar* 26, [296] 651 ; Question, Mr. Synan ; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Mar* 27, 827

*Fishing Irregularity, Lismore District*, Questions, Mr. O'Brien ; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Mar* 20, [296] 43 ; *Mar* 27, 824

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*Killing of Thomas M'Grath's Geese at Cahir, Co. Roscommon*, Question, Mr. O'Kelly ; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *July* 24, [299] 1782

*Misconduct of Constables, Kerry Co.*, Questions, Mr. Sexton ; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Nov* 13, [293] 1567

*Misconduct of a Police Constable at Mullingar*, Question, Mr. T. D. Sullivan ; Answer, Mr. Campbell - Bannerman *May* 4, [297] 1495

*Pursuit of Poachers*, Question, Mr. Biggar ; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *Aug* 11, [300] 1721

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*Seizure of Arms at Tubbercurry, Co. Sligo*, Question, Mr. Sexton ; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Nov* 17, [293] 1826

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*Castlebar Gaol*, Question, Mr. Biggar ; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Nov* 20, [294] 75

*Kilkenny Female Prison*, Question, Mr. Marum ; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *April* 30, [297] 1116

*Maryborough Gaol*, Questions, Mr. Arthur O'Connor ; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Nov* 10, [293] 1363 ; *Nov* 24, [294] 265 ; *Mar* 2, 1759 ;—*Catholic Officials*, Question, Mr. Arthur O'Connor ; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Mar* 2, [294] 1759 ;—*Treatment of Patrick Byrne, a Convict*, Question, Mr. Arthur O'Connor ; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Dec* 4, [294] 641

*Mountjoy Prison—Visit of the Police to the Convict Faherty*, Question, Mr. Healy ; Answer, The Solicitor General for Ireland *Nov* 7, [293] 1209

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*Constitution of the Prisons Board*, Question, Mr. Gray ; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Mar* 6, [295] 292 ; Questions, Mr. Hastings, Sir R. Assheton Cross ; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Mar* 17, 1431

*Expenses of Conveyance of Prisoners*, Question, Mr. Deasy ; Answer, Mr. Courtney *Nov* 4, [293] 899

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*Prisons (Ireland) Act*, 1877—*Illegal Levy on Co. Cork—Repayment*, Question, Mr. Deasy ; Answer, The Solicitor General for Ireland *April* 17, [297] 21

*Salaries of Prison Warders*, Question, Mr. Sexton ; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *July* 10, [299] 278

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*Police Protection*

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*Police Protection, Co. Cavan,* Question, Mr. Biggar; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Nov* 7, [293] 1226

*Protection at Cladymore,* Question, Mr. Small; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *July* 17, [299] 1064

*Protection to Rev. Francis Dopping, Columbkill, Co. Longford,* Question, Mr. Justin M'Carthy; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *April* 16, [296] 1849

*Police Protection, Kilmoon, Co. Clare,* Question, Mr. Kenny; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Dec* 4, [294] 639; Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *May* 5, [297] 1637

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*Riot in Co. Monaghan,* Questions, Mr. Healy; Answers, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *Aug* 11, [300] 1740; *Aug* 12, 1871

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*Parliamentary Elections—Assistant Revising Barristers*, Questions, Mr. Healy; Answers, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *July* 9, [299] 120; Question, Mr. O'Brien; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *Aug* 7, [300] 1457; Questions, Mr. O'Brien, Mr. Healy; Answers, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *Aug* 11, 1730; Question, Mr. Healy; Answer, The Attorney General for Ireland (Mr. Holmes) *Aug* 12, 1872

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*Supplemental Lists, Armagh Co.—Printing the Lists*, Questions, Mr. O'Brien; Answers, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *July* 27, [300] 59; *Aug* 3, 827

*City of Londonderry—The List of Voters*, Question, Mr. Lewis; Answer, The Attorney General for Ireland (Mr. Holmes) *July* 20, [299] 1188; Question, Mr. O'Brien; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *Aug* 3, [300] 842

*Voters' Lists, Dublin*, Question, Mr. Gray; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Mar* 10, [295] 609

*Sligo Co.*, Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *Aug* 6, [300] 1272; Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, The Attorney General for Ireland (Mr. Holmes) *Aug* 10, 1565

*Registration of Electors—Extension of Time for Preparing the Lists*, Questions, Mr. Healy; Answers, The Solicitor General for Ireland *Mar* 13, [295] 1066; Questions, Mr. T. A. Dickson, Mr. T. P. O'Connor; Answers, The Solicitor General for Ireland *Mar* 30, [296] 985

*Baltinglass Union*, Question, Mr. W. J. Corbet; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Dec* 1, [294] 347

*Cootehill Poor Law Board*, Question, Mr. Biggar; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Nov* 24, [294] 242

*Donegal Union*, Questions, Mr. Sexton; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *April* 27, [297] 815

*Remuneration to Clerks of Unions, &c.*, Questions, Mr. T. A. Dickson, Mr. Healy; Answers, The Solicitor General for Ireland *Mar* 12, [295] 845

*Cost of Preparing Lists*, Question, Mr. Sheil; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *April* 16, [296] 1852

*Instructions to Clerks of Unions and Rate Collectors in Ireland*, Questions, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Kenny; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Mar* 12, [295] 880

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*Revision Courts*, Question, Mr. Molloy; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *Aug* 13, [301] 16

*Co. Cavan*, Question, Mr. Biggar; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *Aug* 6, [300] 1270

*Kilmacthomas Union*, Question, Mr. P. J. Power; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *Aug* 3, [300] 826

*Tyrone and Donegal*, Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *Aug* 6, [300] 1273

*Representation of the People* (*Ireland*)

*Parliamentary Elections — The Co. Down Election—The Ballot Act*, Questions, Mr. Labouchere, Mr. Gray; Answers, The Attorney General for Ireland (Mr. Holmes), The Secretary of State for the Home Department (Sir R. Assheton Cross) *July* 30, [300] 512

*Representation of the People Act*, 1884—*Polling Places in Co. Roscommon*, Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *Aug* 13, [301] 10

*Redistribution of Seats* (*Ireland*)

*Reports of the Boundary Commissioners*, Question, Mr. Small; Answer, Sir Charles W. Dilke *Mar* 6, [295] 295

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*The Boundary Commission — Parliamentary Divisions of the Co. Down—Report of the Commissioner*, Question, Lord George Hamilton; Answer, Sir Charles W. Dilke *Mar* 30, [296] 987

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*Letter of the Bishop of Raphoe*, Questions, Mr. Healy, Lord George Hamilton; Answers, Sir Charles W. Dilke *Feb* 27, [294] 1611

*Ireland—Agricultural Labourers*

*Re-appointment of the Select Committee*, Question, Mr. T. P. O'Connor; Answer, The
293] Solicitor General for Ireland *Oct* 27, 255; Question, Mr. T. P. O'Connor; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *Nov* 3, 795; Questions, Mr. T. P. O'Connor; Answers, Lord Richard Grosvenor, The Solicitor General for Ireland *Nov* 5, 1042; Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, Lord Richard Grosvenor *Nov* 6, 1208; Questions, Mr. Parnell; Answers, The Solicitor General for Ireland *Nov* 13, 1590

Moved, "That a Select Committee be appointed to inquire into the working of recent legislation with reference to cottages and plots of land for agricultural labourers in Ireland; and to Report whether it has been established that any amendments of such legislation are at present necessary" (*Mr. Solicitor General for Ireland*) *Nov* 7, 1341; after short debate, Motion agreed to

Committee nominated as follows:—Mr. Solicitor General for Ireland (Chairman), Mr. Beresford, Mr. Brodrick, Sir Hervey Bruce, Mr. Sydney Buxton, Mr. Cheetham, Mr. Thomas Dickson, Mr. Elton, Mr. Herbert Gladstone, Mr. Gray, Mr. Greer, Mr. Healy,

*Ireland—Agricultural Labourers*—cont.

Lord Arthur Hill, Mr. Illingworth, Colonel King-Harman, Mr. Macnaghten, Mr. T. P. O'Connor, Mr. Parnell, Mr. Sexton, Mr. William Shaw, and Mr. Villiers-Stuart

Report . . . *P.P.* (32)

*Ireland—Holdings near Towns*

Moved, "That a Select Committee be appointed to inquire into the tenure on which Houses and Holdings are held in or near towns in Ireland, and the manner in which the improvements of tenants in or near towns are affected by the existing Laws, and if any changes in the existing Law could be now beneficially made" (*Colonel Nolan*) *Mar* 3, [294] 2004; after short debate, Question put; A. 32, N. 33; M. 1 (D. L. 39)

*Ireland—Industries*

Select Committee appointed, "to inquire into the natural resources and the present condition of Manufacturing and Productive Industries in Ireland, and to consider and report by what means those natural resources may be more fully developed, and how those industries may be encouraged and extended"
295] (*Sir Eardley Wilmot*) *Mar* 10, 751

*The Select Committee*, Question, Sir Eardley Wilmot; Answer, Lord Richard Grosvenor
296] *Mar* 27, 844; Questions, Mr. Sexton; Answers, Lord Richard Grosvenor *Mar* 30, 998; Personal Explanation, Sir Eardley Wilmot *Mar* 31, 1147

*Nomination of Select Committee*, Moved, "That the Select Committee on Industries (Ireland) do consist of Twenty-one Members" (*Sir Eardley Wilmot*) *April* 9, 1297

Amendt. to leave out "Twenty-one," insert "Twenty-three" (*Mr. John Redmond*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That 'Twenty-one,' &c." [House counted out]

Moved, "That the Select Committee on Industries (Ireland) do consist of Twenty-four Members" (*Sir Eardley Wilmot*) *April* 24,
297] 780; Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Parnell*); after short debate, Question put, and agreed to

Debate resumed *April* 28, 1032

Amendt. to leave out "Twenty-four," insert "Twenty-five" (*Mr. Sheil*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That 'Twenty-four,' &c.;" after debate, Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Molloy*); after further short debate, Motion withdrawn

Original Question put, "That 'Twenty-four,' &c.;" A. 6, N. 24; M. 18 (D. L. 30)

40 Members not being present [House adjourned]

Debate resumed *April* 30, 1256

Amendt. to leave out "Twenty-four," insert "Twenty-five" (*Mr. Sheil*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That 'Twenty-four,' &c.;" after short debate, Question put, and negatived

Question, "That 'Twenty-five' be there inserted," put, and agreed to; main Question, as amended, put, and agreed to

Committee nominated as follows:—Sir Eardley Wilmot (Chairman), Mr. Armitstead, Captain Aylmer, Sir Hervey Bruce, Mr. Sydney

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*Ireland—Industries*—cont.

Buxton, Mr. Corry, Mr. Cropper, Mr. Thomas Dickson, Mr. Ewart, Mr. Jackson, Mr. Kenny, Colonel King-Harman, Mr. Leake, Mr. Sampson Lloyd, Dr. Lyons, Mr. Justin M'Carthy, Mr. Molloy, Colonel Nolan, Mr. Parnell, Mr. Rathbone, Mr. Sexton, Mr. William Henry Smith, Mr. Trevelyan, Mr. Whitworth, and Mr. Woodall

Report . . . . . . . . *P.P.* (288)

*Ireland—Irish Land Commission—Purchase Money of the Kilclooney Estate*

Moved, That there be laid before the House—"Return from the Land Commission in Ireland, showing what part of the purchase money of the Kilclooney Estate (bought by the Company of which Mr. Parnell is chairman) was advanced on loan from the Treasury" (*The Lord Oranmore and Browne*) *Feb* 23, [294] 1002; after short debate, Motion agreed to *P.P.* (28)

*Ireland—Maamtrasna, &c. Murders*

*Conviction of Myles Joyce and others*, Questions, Mr. Callan, Mr. Harrington; Answers,
293] Mr. Gladstone *Oct* 24, 159; Questions, Mr.
Healy, Mr. Arthur Arnold; Answers, The
Solicitor General for Ireland; Question,
Mr. Sexton [no reply] *Oct* 31, 660; Questions, Mr. O'Brien, Mr. Mitchell Henry;
Answers, The Solicitor General for Ireland
*Nov* 11, 1461; Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir
299] W. Hart Dyke) *July* 16, 921; Question, Mr.
Healy; Answer, The Chief Secretary for
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*Reference of Depositions to Mr. Justice Barry*, Question, Mr. Callan; Answer, The Solicitor General for Ireland; Question, Mr. Harrington [no reply] *Oct* 28, [293] 355

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*Ireland—Nationalist Meetings* (*Derry*)

Amendt. on Committee of Supply *Feb* 20, To leave out from "That," add "in the opinion of this House, the conduct of those responsible for the action of the Police and Military in Derry was one-sided, tyrannical, and unconstitutional" (*Mr. Sexton*) *v.*, [294] 943; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after debate, Question put; A. 59, N. 15; M. 44 (D. L. 25)

*Ireland—Piers and Harbours*

Motion for a Return (*Mr. Thomas Lea*) *Feb* 27, [294] 1726; after short debate, Motion withdrawn

*Ireland—Promulgation of the Statutes*

Resolution (*Mr. Campbell-Bannerman*) *Nov* 10, [293] 1438

*Ireland—Salmon Fisheries*

Moved, "That a Select Committee be appointed to consider the operation of the existing Law regulating Salmon and Trout Fishing in Ireland, and to Report whether any Amendments in the Law are desirable" (*Mr. Campbell-Bannerman*) *Feb* 20, [294] 1000; Question put, and agreed to

Moved, "That the Select Committee on Salmon Fisheries (Ireland) do consist of Nineteen Members" (*Mr. Campbell-Bannerman*) *Mar* 9, [295] 585; after short debate, Motion agreed to

The following were nominated Members of the Committee:—Colonel Colthurst, Viscount Crichton, Mr. Findlater, Mr. Healy, Lord Arthur Hill, Mr. Sexton, Mr. Solicitor General for Ireland (Chairman)

Moved, "That Mr. Tottenham be one other Member of the said Committee" (*Mr. Campbell - Bannerman*), 593; after short debate, Question put; A. 40, N. 16; M. 24 (D. L. 46)

Remaining Members nominated as follows:—Mr. Blennerhassett, Mr. Brown, Sir Hervey Bruce, Mr. Callan, Mr. Deasy, Mr. Henry, Mr. Leamy, Lord March, Mr. Marjoribanks, Colonel Milne Home, and Mr. Thomas Thornhill

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295] 1570

Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Brodrick*); after short debate, Question put; A. 21, N. 45; M. 24 (D. L. 64)

Original Question again proposed, 1576; Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Mr. Tottenham*); after short debate, Question put; A. 18, N. 43; M. 25 (D. L. 65)

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(*Mr. Deasy, Mr. Parnell, Mr. M'Mahon, Mr. T. P. O'Connor, Mr. Sexton*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *Oct* 24 [Bill 5]
2R. [Dropped]

**Labourers (Ireland) (No. 2) Bill**
(*Mr. Campbell-Bannerman, Mr. Solicitor General for Ireland*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *Feb* 24 [Bill 68]
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*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *May* 13 [Bill 178]
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**Land Improvement and Arterial Drainage (Ireland) Bill**
(*Mr. Hibbert, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *Feb* 19 [Bill 50]
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Amendt. on Committee of Supply *July* 24, To leave out from "That," add "in the opinion of this House, the oppressive character of Mr. Sub-Commissioner Walpole's relations with his own tenantry, and the general public distrust justly inspired by his decisions, render it undesirable that he should continue to be intrusted with the administration of the Land Law (Ireland) Act" (*Mr. O'Brien*) *v.* [299] 1789; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after debate, Amendt. withdrawn

Amendt. To leave out from "That," add "in the opinion of this House, the general public distrust inspired by the decisions of Mr. Sub-Commissioner Walpole renders it desirable that further inquiry should be made into his administration of the Land Law (Ireland) Act" (*Mr. O'Brien*) *v.*; Question put, "That the words, &c.;" A. 123, N. 32; M. 91 (D. L. 247)

**Land Law (Ireland) Act (1881) Amendment Bill** (*Mr. William Corbet, Mr. Barry, Mr. Parnell, Mr. Justin M'Carthy, Mr. Healy, Mr. T. P. O'Connor, Mr. Sexton*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1°* *Oct* 24 [Bill 2]
2R. [Dropped]

**Land Purchase (Ireland) Bill** [H.L.]
(*The Lord Chancellor of Ireland, Lord Ashbourne*)

*l.* Presented; read 1ª, after short debate *July* 17,
299] 1040 (No. 184)
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. Committee, after debate *July* 21, 1342
. Report *July* 23, 1606 (No. 197)
. Read 3ª, after short debate *July* 24, 1775 (Nos. 204-205)
*c.* Read 1°* (*The Chief Secretary for Ireland*) *July* 24 [Bill 249]
300] Read 2°, after long debate *Aug* 4, 1065
. Committee; Report *Aug* 10, 1621 [Bill 264]
Considered; (Queen's consent signified); Bill
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*l.* Commons Amendts. *Aug* 12 (No. 250)
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301] *Aug* 13, 3
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Question, Mr. Small; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *July* 23, [299] 1624
Questions, Mr. J. G. Hubbard, General Sir George Balfour; Answers, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Aug* 7, [299] 1452

*Land Purchase (Ireland)* [*Salaries*]
*c.* Res. considered in Committee, and agreed to *Aug* 4, [300] 1194
Res. reported *Aug* 5

*Land Purchase (Ireland)* [*Advances*]
*c.* Res. considered in Committee, and agreed to *Aug* 6, [300] 1428
Res. reported *Aug* 7, 1522; after short debate Res. agreed to

*Land Registry Office—Returns*
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(*Mr. Barclay, Sir George Balfour, Dr. Farquharson, Mr. James Howard*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *April* 30 [Bill 147]
2R. [Dropped]

*Lands Held in Mortmain — The Death Duties*
Amendt. on Committee of Customs and Inland Revenue (No. 2) Bill *July* 23, To leave out from "That," add "the proposed exemption of lands held in mortmain from the charge to be imposed on corporate property in lieu of Death Duties is inexpedient and unjust" (*Mr. Arthur Arnold*) *v.* [299] 1679; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after short debate, Question put; A. 94, N. 38; M. 56 (D. L. 243)

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*Convict Establishments—Harbour of Refuge at Peterhead*, Question, Sir John Hay; Answer, Sir William Harcourt *Feb* 20, [294] 907

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*c.* Ordered; read $1^o$ * *Feb* 20 [Bill 65]
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*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Mar* 9 [Bill 88]
Read 2° * *Mar* 16
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Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Healy*); after short debate, Motion withdrawn
Original Question put, and agreed to; Committee—R.P.
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Read 3° * *April* 28
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Thurlow*) *April* 30 (No. 93)
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**Local Courts of Bankruptcy (Ireland) Bill** (*Mr. Campbell-Bannerman, Mr. Solicitor General for Ireland*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Feb* 24 [Bill 69]
2R. [Dropped]

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**Local Government (Gas) Provisional Orders Bill** (*Mr. George Russell, Sir Charles W. Dilke*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *May* 8 [Bill 170]
Read 2° * *May* 21
Report * *June* 15
Read 3° * *June* 19
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Carrington*) *June* 19 (No. 144)
Read 2ª * *June* 25
Committee *; Report *July* 6
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**Local Government (Ireland) Provisional Orders Bill** (*Mr. Solicitor General for Ireland, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman*)

*c.* Ordered * *May* 14
Read 1° * *May* 15 [Bill 182]
Read 2° * *June* 5
Report * *July* 6
Considered * *July* 7
Read 3° * *July* 8
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord President*) *July* 9 (No. 170)
Read 2ª * *July* 17
Committee *Aug* 6, [300] 1252
Report; read 3ª *Aug* 7, 1429
On Motion, "That the Bill do pass?" after short debate, Motion agreed to
*c.* Lords' Amendts. *Aug* 7 [Bill 261]
Lords' Amendts. considered *Aug* 10, 1558; one agreed to; one disagreed to
Committee appointed, "to draw up Reasons to be assigned to the Lords for disagreeing to the Amendt. to which this House hath disagreed;" List of the Committee, 1564
*l.* Commons' Reasons for disagreeing to one of the Amendts. made by the Lords considered *Aug* 11, 1706; Moved, "That the House do not insist upon their Amendt. to which the Commons have disagreed" (*The Marquess of Waterford*)
Amendt. to leave out all after ("That"), insert ("this House, insisting on its Amendment, do now proceed to appoint a Committee to meet and confer with a Committee of the Commons" (*The Lord FitzGerald*); after short debate, on Question, "That the words, &c.?" Cont. 21, Not-Cont. 10; M. 11; resolved in the affirmative
Amendt. not insisted on, and a message sent to the Commons to acquaint them therewith
Royal Assent *Aug* 14 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. cxc]

**Local Government (Ireland) Provisional Orders (No. 2) Bill** (*Mr. Solicitor General for Ireland, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman*)

*c.* Ordered * *May* 14
Read 1° * *May* 15 [Bill 183]

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*Local Government (Ireland) Provisional Orders (No. 2) Bill*—cont.
Read 2° * *June* 5
Report * *June* 15
Read 3° * *June* 19
*l.* Read 1ª* (*Lord President*) *June* 19 (No. 146)
Read 2ª * *June* 25
Committee * ; Report *July* 6
Read 3ª * *July* 7
Royal Assent *July* 16 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. lxi]

**Local Government (Ireland) Provisional Orders (Labourers Act) (No. 1) Bill**
[H.L.] (*The Lord President*)
*l.* Presented ; read 1ª * *Mar* 12 (No. 35)
Read 2ª * *Mar* 27
Committee * ; Report *April* 14
Read 3ª * *April* 16
*c.* Read 1° * *April* 17 [Bill 128]
Read 2° * *April* 22
Report * *May* 7
Read 3° * *May* 8
*l.* Royal Assent *May* 21 [48 *Vict.* c. x]

**Local Government (Ireland) Provisional Orders (Labourers Act) (No. 2) Bill**
[H.L.] (*The Lord FitzGerald*)
*l.* Presented ; read 1ª * *Mar* 30 (No. 64)
Read 2ª * *April* 20
Committee * ; Report *April* 28
Read 3ª * *April* 30
*c.* Read 1° * *May* 4 [Bill 155]
Read 2° * *May* 11
Report * *May* 20
Read 3° * *May* 21
*l.* Royal Assent *June* 25 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. xxix]

**Local Government (Ireland) Provisional Orders (Labourers Act) (No. 3) Bill**
[H.L.] (*The Lord President*)
*l.* Presented ; read 1ª * *April* 24 (No. 84)
Read 2ª * *May* 7
Committee * ; Report *May* 18
Read 3ª * *May* 19
*c.* Read 1° * *May* 20 [Bill 188]
Read 2° * *June* 5
Report * *June* 15
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*l.* Royal Assent *June* 25 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. xxxii]

**Local Government (Ireland) Provisional Orders (Labourers Act) (No. 4) Bill**
(*Mr. Solicitor General for Ireland, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *May* 19 [Bill 185]
Read 2° * *June* 5
Report * *June* 15
Read 3° * *June* 19
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord President*) *June* 19 (No. 145)
Read 2ª * *June* 25
Committee * ; Report *July* 6
Read 3ª * *July* 7
Royal Assent *July* 16 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. lx]

**Local Government (Ireland) Provisional Orders (Labourers Act) (No. 5) Bill**
(*Mr. Solicitor General for Ireland, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *May* 19 [Bill 186]
Read 2° * *June* 5
Report * *July* 6
Considered * *July* 8
Read 3° * *July* 9
*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. of Iddesleigh*) *July* 10 (No. 173)
Read 2ª * *July* 17
Committee * ; Report *July* 20
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Royal Assent *July* 22 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. cix]

**Local Government (Ireland) Provisional Orders (Public Health Act) (No. 1) Bill** [H.L.] (*The Lord FitzGerald*)
*l.* Presented ; read 1ª * *Mar* 30 (No. 63)
Read 2ª * *April* 23
Committee * ; Report *May* 1
Read 3ª * *May* 4
*c.* Read 1° * *May* 7 [Bill 162]
Read 2° * *May* 12
Report * *July* 14
Read 3° * *July* 15
*l.* Royal Assent *July* 22 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. xcviii]

**Local Government (Ireland) Provisional Orders (Public Health Act) (No. 2) Bill** [H.L.] (*The Lord President*)
*l.* Presented ; read 1ª * *April* 24 (No. 83)
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*c.* Read 1° * *July* 8 [Bill 212]
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*l.* Royal Assent *July* 31 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. cxxx]

**Local Government Provisional Orders Bill**
(*Mr. George Russell, Sir Charles Dilke*)
*c.* Ordered : read 1° * *Mar* 11 [Bill 91]
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*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Carrington*) *April* 13 (No. 66)
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Committee * ; Report *April* 23
Read 3ª * *April* 24
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**Local Government Provisional Orders (No. 2) Bill**
(*Mr. George Russell, Sir Charles Dilke*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *Mar* 31 [Bill 120]
Read 2° * *April* 14
Report * *April* 24
Read 3° * *April* 27
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Carrington*) *April* 28 (No. 89)
Read 2ª * *May* 7
Committee * ; Report *May* 8
Read 3ª * *May* 11
Royal Assent *May* 21 [48 *Vict.* c. xi]

**Local Government Provisional Orders (No. 3) Bill** (*Mr. George Russell, Sir Charles Dilke*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *May* 8 [Bill 168]
Read 2° * *May* 21
Report * *July* 6
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*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Carrington*) *July* 9 (No. 167)
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Committee * ; Report *July* 20
Read 3ª * *July* 21
Royal Assent *July* 22 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. cvi]

**Local Government Provisional Orders (No. 4) Bill** (*Mr. George Russell, Sir Charles Dilke*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *May* 8 [Bill 169]
Read 2° * *May* 21
Report * *June* 15
Read 3° * *June* 19
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Carrington*) *June* 19 (No. 147)
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Report * *July* 14
Read 3ª * *July* 16
Royal Assent *July* 22 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. ci]

**Local Government Provisional Orders (No. 5) Bill** (*Mr. George Russell, Sir Charles Dilke*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *May* 22 [Bill 196]
Read 2° * *June* 9
Report * *June* 19
Read 3° * *June* 23
*l.* Read 1ª * *June* 23 (No. 152)
Read 2ª * *June* 26
Committee * ; Report *July* 6
Read 3ª * *July* 7
Royal Assent *July* 16 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. lxii]

**Local Government Provisional Orders (No. 6) Bill** (*Mr. George Russell, Sir Charles Dilke*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *May* 22 [Bill 197]
Read 2° * *June* 9
Report * *June* 19
Read 3° * *June* 23
*l.* Read 1ª * *June* 23 (No. 153)
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Read 3ª * *July* 21
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*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *June* 5 [Bill 201]
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Read 3° * *July* 8
*l.* Read 1ª * *July* 9 (No. 168)
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**Local Government Provisional Orders (Municipal Corporations) Bill** (*Mr. George Russell, Sir Charles Dilke*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *June* 4 [Bill 199]
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Read 3° * *July* 7
*l.* Read 1ª * *July* 9
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**Local Government Provisional Orders (Poor Law) Bill** (*Mr. George Russell, Sir Charles Dilke*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *Mar* 9 [Bill 86]
Read 2° * *Mar* 17
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Read 3° * *Mar* 30
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Carrington*) *April* 13 (No. 67)
Read 2ª * *April* 21
Committee * ; Report *April* 23
Read 3ª * *April* 24
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**Local Government Provisional Orders (Poor Law) (No. 2) Bill** (*Mr. George Russell, Sir Charles Dilke*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *Mar* 23 [Bill 107]
Read 2° * *Mar* 31
Report * *April* 13
Considered * *April* 14
Read 3° * *April* 15
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Carrington*) *April* 16 (No. 71)
Read 2ª * *April* 23
Committee * ; Report *April* 24
Read 3ª * *April* 28
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**Local Government Provisional Orders (Poor Law) (No. 3) Bill** (*Mr. George Russell, Sir Charles Dilke*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *Mar* 23 [Bill 108]
Read 2° * *Mar* 31
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*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Carrington*) *April* 16 (No. 72)
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**Local Government Provisional Orders (Poor Law) (No. 4) Bill** (*Mr. George Russell, Sir Charles Dilke*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *Mar* 31 [Bill 116]
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" *April* 23, [297] 461
Moved, "That the Debate be adjourned till Thursday next" (*Mr. Raikes*); after short debate, Motion agreed to ; Debate adjourned
Debate resumed *April* 30, 1098 ; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to ; Bill read 2°
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Considered * *May* 15
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*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Carrington*) *May* 19 (No. 123)
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Read 3ª * *June* 15
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**Local Government Provisional Orders (Poor Law) (No. 5) Bill**
(*Mr. George Russell, Sir Charles Dilke*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *Mar* 31 [Bill 117]
Read 2° * *April* 14
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Read 3° * *April* 27
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Carrington*) *April* 28 (No. 90)
Read 2ª * *May* 7
Committee * ; Report *May* 8
Read 3ª * *May* 11
Royal Assent *May* 21 [48 *Vict.* c. vii]

**Local Government Provisional Orders (Poor Law) (No. 6) Bill**
(*Mr. George Russell, Sir Charles Dilke*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *Mar* 31 [Bill 118]
Read 2° * *April* 14
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Considered * *April* 27
Read 3° * *April* 28
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Carrington*) *April* 30 (No. 94)
Read 2ª * *May* 7
Committee * ; Report *May* 8
Read 3ª * *May* 11
Royal Assent *May* 21 [48 *Vict.* c. viii]

**Local Government Provisional Orders (Poor Law) (No. 7) Bill**
(*Mr. George Russell, Sir Charles Dilke*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *Mar* 31 [Bill 119]
Read 2° * *April* 14
Report * *April* 24
Read 3° * *April* 27
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Carrington*) *April* 28 (No. 91)
Read 2ª * *May* 7
Committee * ; Report *May* 8
Read 3ª * *May* 11
Royal Assent *May* 21 [48 *Vict.* c. ix]

**Local Government Provisional Orders (Poor Law) (No. 8) Bill**
(*Mr. George Russell, Sir Charles Dilke*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *May* 5 [Bill 158]
Read 2° * *May* 12
Report * *June* 19
[*Order not confirmed*]

**Local Government Provisional Orders (Poor Law) (No. 9) Bill**
(*Mr. George Russell, Sir Charles Dilke*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *May* 22 [Bill 198]
Read 2° * *June* 9
Report * *July* 6
Considered * *July* 7
Read 3° * *July* 8

*Local Government Provisional Orders (Poor Law) (No. 9) Bill*—cont.
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Carrington*) *July* 9 (No. 169)
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Committee * ; Report *July* 20
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**Local Loans (Sinking Funds) Bill**
(*Sir Matthew Ridley, Sir Richard Cross, Sir Hardinge Giffard*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *May* 20 [Bill 189]
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*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. Brownlow*) *July* 13 (No. 175)
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Original Question put, and agreed to ; Bill ordered ; read 1° * [Bill 210]
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*c.* Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" (*Mr. Dodds*) *April* 24, [297] 629
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Main Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 2°

*London, Tilbury, and Southend Railway Bill (by Order)*
*c.* 2R. deferred, after short debate *Mar* 26, [296] 646
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*l.* Presented ; read 1ª * *Mar* 26 (No. 60)
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*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Dec* 3 [Bill 48]
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*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *May* 12 (No. 110)
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*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *July* 14 [Bill 234]
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*c.* Motion for Leave (*Mr. Arthur Balfour*) *July* 13,
299] 576 ; after short debate, Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Clare Read*) ; after further short debate, Question put ; A. 5, N. 33 ; M. 28 (D. L. 224)
Original Question again proposed ; after short debate, original Question put, and agreed to ; Bill ordered ; read 1° * [Bill 232]
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Amendt. to leave out from "That," add "in the relief of destitute paupers out of any Poor Rate, this House declines to draw a distinction in favour of enfranchising those who obtain it in the form of medical treatment and those who are compelled to accept it in the form of bread" (*Mr. Pell*) *v*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after long debate, Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Courtney*); after further short debate, Question put, and negatived; Question put, A. 279, N. 20; M. 259 (D. L. 232)

299] Main Question again proposed, 1010; after short debate, main Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 2°

Order for Committee read; Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair" *July* 21, 1411

Amendt. to leave out from "That," add "this House cannot approve of a measure which removes an incentive to independence, and fundamentally changes the principle of the Poor Law under which pauperism has steadily diminished since 1834" (*Mr. Courtney*) *v*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after long debate, Question put; A. 226, N. 22; M. 204 (D. L. 236)

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Considered *July* 23, 1637; after debate, Moved, "That the Bill be re-committed in respect of an Amendment to Clause 2" (*Mr. Ramsay*); after further short debate, Question put, and agreed to

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Moved, "That the Bill be read 3° To-morrow" (*Mr. Jesse Collings*), 1673; after short debate, Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Mr. Heneage*); after further short debate, Motion withdrawn

Original Question put, and agreed to

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300] *l.* Read 1ª (*E. of Milltown*) *July* 27, 2; Notice, The Earl of Milltown; short debate thereon

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*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *May* 13 [Bill 179]
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*c.* Moved, "That the Petition of Peter Williamson Dumville and Henry Daniel Davies, presented on the 17th instant, be referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills, with an Instruction to report whether Standing Order 62 has been complied with" (*Sir James Clarke Lawrence*) *April* 24, [297] 643; after short debate, Question put, and negatived

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*Victoria Park Cricket Ground*, Question, Mr. Bryce; Answer, The First Commissioner of Works (Mr. Plunket) *July* 17, [299] 1062

**Metropolis (Hughes Fields, Deptford) Provisional Order Confirmation Bill** [H.L.] (*The Earl of Dalhousie*)

*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *April* 24 (No. 82)
Read 2ª * *May* 15
Committee *; Report *June* 8
Read 3ª * *June* 9
*c.* Read 1° * *June* 12 [Bill 205]
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*l.* Royal Assent *July* 22 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. xcix]

**Metropolis Management Acts Amendment Bill** (*Viscount Lewisham, Sir Charles Mills, Sir Trevor Lawrence, Mr. James Stuart, Mr. Grantham, Mr. Boord*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *April* 23 [Bill 138]
Read 2° * *May* 1
Committee *—R.P. *May* 4
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Committee; Report *June* 4, 1325
Considered *; read 3° *July* 6 [Bill 200]
*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. of Camperdown*) *July* 7 (No. 162)
Read 2ª * *July* 17
Committee *; Report *July* 21
Read 3ª * *July* 23
Royal Assent *July* 31 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 33]

**Metropolis Management Elections (Ballot) Bill** (*Mr. Eugene Collins, Sir Thomas Chambers, Mr. Daniel Grant*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Dec* 3 [Bill 46]
Read 2° * *April* 29
Committee [Dropped]

**Metropolis (Tabard Street, Newington) Provisional Order Confirmation Bill** [H.L.] (*The Earl of Dalhousie*)

*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *April* 24 (No. 81)
Read 2ª * *May* 15
Committee *; Report *June* 8
Read 3ª * *June* 9
*c.* Read 1° * *June* 12 [Bill 204]
Read 2° * *June* 23
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Read 3° * *July* 15
*l.* Royal Assent *July* 22 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. c]

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*Thames Crossings — Subway at Shadwell*, Questions, Mr. Ritchie; Answers, Sir James M'Garel-Hogg, Mr. R. N. Fowler *Nov* 6, [293] 1087

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*c.* Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" (*Sir James M'Garel-Hogg*) *Mar* 6, [295] 244
Amendt., to leave out from "That," add "this House regrets that the Bill contains no provision to confer powers on the Metropolitan Board of Works to carry out the recommendation of the Select Committee on the Metropolitan Board of Works (Thames Crossings) Bill, 1884, to the effect that two crossings being immediately required a subway at or near Shadwell should be constructed by the Metropolitan Board of Works" (*Mr. Ritchie*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after debate, Amendt. withdrawn
Main Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 2°
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**Metropolitan Board of Works (Further Powers) Bill** (*Sir James M'Garel-Hogg, Baron Henry De Worms, Mr. Bryce*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Dec* 2 [Bill 44]
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*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *July* 9 [Bill 224]
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*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. of Iddesleigh*) *July* 27 (No. 209)
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**Metropolitan Police Staff Superannuation Bill** (*Mr. Stuart-Wortley, Sir Henry Holland*)
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**Municipal Corporations (Borough Funds) Bill** (*Mr. Woodall, Mr. Edward Clarke, Mr. Jackson, Mr. St. Aubyn*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Mar* 4 [Bill 80]
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**Municipal Corporations (Ireland) (Borough Funds) Bill**
(*Mr. Gray, Mr. Dawson, Mr. Meagher*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Mar* 4 [Bill 81]
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Main Question put, and agreed to
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**Municipal Corporations (Quarter Session Boroughs) Bill** (*Mr. Dodds, Mr. John Bright, Mr. Barran, Mr. Jackson*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *April* 20 [Bill 133]
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" *April* 22, [297] 413; Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Hibbert*); Question put, and agreed to; Debate adjourned
Adjourned Debate on 2R. [Dropped]

**Municipal Franchise (Ireland) Bill**
(*Mr. Molloy, Mr. Parnell, Mr. Justin M'Carthy, Mr. Richard Power*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Nov* 4 [Bill 27]
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**Municipal Rates Bill**
(*Mr. Joseph Cowen, Mr. Armitage, Mr. John Morley, Mr. Dodds*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Mar* 11 [Bill 92]
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**Municipal Voters (Relief) Bill**
(*Mr. Attorney General, Sir Charles Dilke, Mr. Hibbert, Mr. Henry H. Fowler*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Feb* 20 [Bill 64]
Read 2°, after short debate *Mar* 3, [294] 2014
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(*Mr. Campbell-Bannerman, Mr. Solicitor General for Ireland, Mr. Hibbert*)
*c.* Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Mar* 19, [295] 1708
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(*Mr. Justin M'Carthy, Mr. Parnell, Colonel Nolan, Mr. T. P. O'Connor, Mr. Healy, Mr. Justin Huntly M'Carthy*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Oct* 24 [Bill 11]
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" *Dec* 4, [294] 747; Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Campbell-Bannerman*); after debate, Question put; A. 83, N. 14; M. 69 (D. L. 22)
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*The "Conqueror" and the "Colossus"—Breech-piece of the 41-ton Gun*, Question, Mr. W. H. Smith; Answer, Sir Thomas Brassey *Oct* 30, [293] 525

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Moved, "That there be laid before this House, Tabular Statement of the ships laid down by the Board of Admiralty since 1880, and Diagram illustrating the armoured and unarmoured tonnage built in Her Majesty's dockyards and by contract; and the total naval expenditure from 1865-66 to 1883-84 inclusive" (*The Earl of Northbrook*) *Dec* 2, [294] 395; after debate, Motion agreed to *P.P.* 15

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- Moved to resolve, "That whereas a considerable majority of the Trustees of the British Museum present at a general meeting on the 17th of January last specially called to consider the question, voted in favour of opening the National History Museum at South Kensington on Sunday afternoons; and whereas it is desirable to afford the working classes of London such further opportunities of instruction, recreation, and enjoyment as they would obtain thereby, and as are already conceded in Manchester, Birmingham, Stoke-upon-Trent, Dublin, Newcastle, Middlesbro', and other centres of industry; that, for the above and for other reasons affecting the health and happiness, the morality and sobriety, of the working classes of London, this House is of opinion that the time has now come to support the decision taken by the Trustees of the British Museum in regard to this question" (*The Lord Thurlow*) *Mar* 20, [296] 7
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297] 661; Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, Mr.
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297] Healy [no reply] *April* 30, 1114; Questions, Mr. Sexton, Mr. T. D. Sullivan, Mr. Mitchell Henry, Mr. Bourke; Answers, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *May* 4, 1492; Question, Mr. T. D. Sullivan; Answer, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *May* 7, 1841; Questions, Lord Randolph Churchill, Mr. Joseph Cowen; Answers, Mr. Gladstone;
298] Question, Mr. Sexton [no reply] *May* 8, 32; Questions, Mr. Joseph Cowen, Mr. Sexton, Mr. Healy; Answers, Mr. Gladstone *May* 11, 149; Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *May* 12, 361; Question, Mr. William Redmond; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *May* 15, 632; Questions, Mr. M'Coan, Mr. Callan; Answers, Mr. Gladstone *June* 4, 1188; Questions, Mr. Callan; Answers, The Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs (Mr. Bourke), Mr. Gladstone *July* 13,
299] 431; Questions, Mr. T. P. O'Connor; Answers, The Under Secretary of State for
300] Foreign Affairs Mr. Bourke *July* 31, 685; Observations, Mr. O'Brien; short debate thereon *Aug* 5, 1228

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**Parliament**

LORDS—

MEETING OF THE PARLIAMENT *Oct* 23

The Session of Parliament opened by Commission

**Her Majesty's Most Gracious Speech**
293] delivered by The LORD CHANCELLOR *Oct* 23, 3
The Queen's Speech having been reported by The LORD CHANCELLOR; An Address to HER MAJESTY thereon moved by the Lord BELPER (the Motion being seconded by The Lord LAWRENCE) *Oct* 23, 5; after debate, Address agreed to, *nemine dissentiente*

HER MAJESTY'S ANSWER TO THE ADDRESS reported *Nov* 3, 764

*Chairman of Committees*—The Earl of Redesdale appointed, *nemine dissentiente*, to take the Chair in all Committees of this House for this Session *Oct* 23

*Committee for Privileges*—appointed *Oct* 23

*Sub-Committee for the Journals*—appointed *Oct* 23

*Appeal Committee*—appointed *Oct* 23

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PARLIAMENT—LORDS—*cont.*

*Standing Orders Committee*—appointed *Mar* 3
The Lords following, with the Chairman of Committees, were named of the Committee:—D. Somerset, M. Winchester, M. Bath, Ld. Steward, E. Devon, E. Carnarvon, E. Cadogan, E. Belmore, E. Chichester, E. Powis, E. Verulam, E. Morley, E. Amherst, E. Camperdown, E. Lathom, V. Hawarden, V. Hutchinson, V. Hardinge, V. Eversley, L. Clinton, L. Saye and Sele, L. Balfour of Burley, L. Colville of Culross, L. Boyle, L. Monson, L. Digby, L. Carrington, L. Hopetoun, L. Foxford, L. Colchester, L. Silchester, L. De Tabley, L. Sudeley, L. Belper, L. Hartismere, L. Penrhyn, and L. Wolverton

*Committee of Selection*—The Lords following, viz.:—E. Morley, E. Lathom, L. Colville of Culross, L. Boyle, were appointed, with the Chairman of Committees, a Committee to select and propose to the House the names of the five Lords to form a Select Committee for the consideration of each opposed Private Bill *Mar* 3

*Office of the Clerk of the Parliaments and Office of the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod*
Moved, "That the Lords following be named of the Committee: Ld. Chancellor, Ld. President, D. Richmond, D. Saint Albans, D. Bedford, M. Lansdowne, M. Salisbury, M. Bath, Ld. Steward, E. Devon, E. Tankerville, E. Carnarvon, E. Belmore, E. Bradford, E. Camperdown, E. Granville, E. Kimberley, E. Redesdale, E. Lathom, V. Hawarden, V. Hardinge, V. Eversley, Ld. Chamberlain, L. Colville of Culross, L. Monson, L. Colchester, L. Ker, and L. Aveland" *Dec* 5
Moved, "To leave out the name of the Marquess of Lansdowne" (*The Earl of Camperdown*); after short debate, on Question? agreed to; original Motion, as amended, agreed to; Committee appointed accordingly; L. Sudeley added.

*PRIVATE BILLS*
Ordered, That this House will not receive any petition for a Private Bill after *Friday* the 13*th day of March* next, unless such Private Bill shall have been approved by the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice; nor any petition for a Private Bill approved by the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice after *Tuesday* the 12*th day of May* next
That this House will not receive any report from the Judges upon petitions presented to this House for Private Bills after *Tuesday* the 12*th day of May* next
Ordered, That this Order be *printed* and *published*, and affixed on the doors of this House and Westminster Hall (No. 23) *Feb* 24
All Petitions relating to Standing Orders which shall be presented during the present Session referred to the Standing Orders Committee unless otherwise ordered *Mar* 3

Question, Observations, The Earl of Camperdown; Reply, The Earl of Redesdale *Mar* 16, [295] 1203

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PARLIAMENT—LORDS—*Private Bills*—cont.
Ordered, That no Private Bill brought from the House of Commons shall be read a second time after Friday the 19th day of June next: [and other Orders] *Mar* 23, [296] 212
Standing Orders Nos. 10., 22., 52., 57., 64., 85., 114., 115., 134., and 179., considered and amended; and to be printed as amended (No. 227) *Aug* 3

*Private and Provisional Order Confirmation Bills*
Ordered, That Standing Orders Nos. 92. and 93. be suspended; and that the time for depositing petitions praying to be heard against Private and Provisional Order Confirmation Bills, which would otherwise expire during the adjournment of the House at Easter, be extended from this day to the first day on which the House shall sit after the recess *Mar* 27
Ordered, That Standing Orders Nos. 92 and 93 be suspended; and that the time for depositing petitions praying to be heard against Private and Provisional Order Confirmation Bills, which would otherwise expire during the adjournment of the House at Whitsuntide, be extended to the first day on which the House shall sit after the recess *May* 21
Ordered, That Standing Orders Nos. 72 and 82 be suspended for the remainder of the Session *June* 12

*Privilege — The Marquess of Salisbury's Speech at Hackney*, Personal Explanation, The Marquess of Salisbury; short debate thereon *May* 12, [298] 293
*Election of Scotch Representative Peers*, Question, Observations, The Earl of Galloway; Reply, The Lord Chancellor *Mar* 12, [295] 842
*House of Lords—The late Earl Cairns*, Observations, Earl Granville; short debate thereon *April* 13, [296] 1435
*Rules and Orders of the House* (*Admission of Strangers*) — *Admission to the House of Lords*, Observations, Earl Granville; short debate thereon *Feb* 20, [294] 903; Question, Observations, Lord Oranmore and Browne; Reply, Earl Granville *Feb* 23, 1003

*BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE*
*Adjournment*, Observations, Earl Granville *Oct* 23, [293] 4; Observations, Earl Granville, The Earl of Carnarvon *Nov* 6, 1043; Observation, The Earl of Northbrook *Nov* 13, 1533; Observation, Earl Granville *Nov* 24, [294] 228
*The War in the Soudan—Military Co-operation of the Colonies*, Question, The Earl of Camperdown; Answer, Earl Granville *Mar* 10, [295] 597
Moved, "That this House sits on Mondays at Five o'clock, in lieu of a quarter past Four o'clock" (*The Lord Denman*) *May* 1, [297] 1283; after short debate, on Question? resolved in the negative
Moved, "That the House do adjourn during pleasure" (*The Earl of Cork*) (The Registration Bills) *May* 19, [298] 950; after short debate, Motion agreed to; House adjourned accordingly at 11.45. A.M.; House resumed at 5 P.M.

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Parliament—Lords—*Business of the House*—cont.

*The Adjournment for the Easter Recess*, Observations, Earl Granville *Mar* 20, [296] 1

[House adjourned on Monday *Mar* 30, to Monday *April* 13]

*The Whitsuntide Recess*

[House adjourned on Thursday *May* 21, to Friday *June* 5]

*PALACE OF WESTMINSTER*

*The Committee Rooms — Ventilation of the Houses of Parliament*, Observations, The Earl of Belmore; Reply, Lord Henniker *July* 9, [299] 109

*The Frescoes in the Peers' Robing Room*, Question, Observations, Lord Lamington; Reply, Lord Henniker; short debate thereon *July* 27, [300] 13

*Westminster Hall* (*Restoration*), Question, Lord Norton; Answer, The Earl of Rosebery *Mar* 27, [296] 802; Question, Observations, Lord Norton, The Earl of Wemyss, Viscount Bury; Reply, The Earl of Rosebery *May* 21, [298] 999

*RESIGNATION OF MINISTERS*

*Adjournment*

Moved, "That the House do adjourn until Friday" (*The Earl Granville*) *June* 9,
298] 1516; after short debate, Motion agreed to

*Arrangement of Public Business*, Statement, Earl Granville *June* 12, 1521

Moved, "That the House do adjourn until Friday next" (*Viscount Cranbrook*) *June* 15, 1534; after short debate, Motion withdrawn

Several Bills having been advanced a stage, Moved, "That the House do adjourn until Friday next" (*Viscount Cranbrook*); Motion agreed to

*Further Adjournment*, Question, Observations, The Marquess of Salisbury *June* 19, 1592

*THE NEW MINISTRY*

*Acceptance of Office*

Statement of the Earl Granville *June* 23,
298] 1607

*Statement of the Marquess of Salisbury*, Observations, The Marquess of Salisbury, Earl Granville *June* 25, 1631

Moved, "That this House do adjourn until Monday week" (*The Marquess of Salisbury*) *June* 25, 1638; Motion agreed to

Ministry of the Right Hon. W. E. Gladstone, as it stood at their Resignation of Office, 1643

Ministry of the Marquess of Salisbury, as formed on Acceptance of Office, 1644

*Arrangement of Public Business—Statement of the Marquess of Salisbury* (*Prime Minister*)

Moved, "That the House do now adjourn" (*The Marquess of Salisbury*) *July* 6, 1652; Motion agreed to

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Prorogation of the Parliament

**Her Majesty's Most Gracious Speech** delivered by The Lord High Chancellor *Aug* 14, [301] 30

The Parliament prorogued by Commission to Saturday, October 31

*Parliament—Business of the House—Rules of Debate*

Postponement of Resolutions, Lord Stratheden
294] and Campbell *Nov* 24, 222

Moved to resolve "That in the event of two or more Lords rising to address the House at the same time, the Lord Chancellor or Chairman of Committees, whichever then presides, shall call on one of them to speak, and the Lord so called upon shall speak, unless the House do order otherwise" (*The Lord Stratheden and Campbell*) *Dec* 4, 585; after short debate, on Question? Cont. 8, Not-Cont. 46: M. 38; resolved in the negative

*Parliament—Representative Peers*

Moved, "That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty praying that the Prerogative be not interposed to prevent the substitution by Statute of a more suitable form for securing the presence of Irish and Scottish Peers in the House of Lords than is afforded by the existing modes of election" (*The Lord Waveney*) *Nov* 17, [293] 1810; after short debate, Previous Question moved (*The Earl Cairns*); Previous Question put, whether the said Question shall be now put; resolved in the negative

COMMONS—

THE QUEEN'S SPEECH

The Queen's Speech having been reported by Mr. Speaker; An humble Address thereon moved by Mr. E. Stafford Howard (the Motion being seconded by Mr. Summers) *Oct* 23,
293] 59

Amendt. in ninth paragraph, after "us," insert "and humbly to assure Her Majesty that it is the opinion of a vast number of the Irish people that the present method of administering the Law in Ireland, more especially under the Crimes Act, has worked manifold injustice, and, in the case of the prisoners tried for the Maamtrasna murder, has led to the execution of an innocent man and to the conviction of four other persons equally innocent, and this House humbly assures Her Majesty that it would ensure much greater confidence in the administration of the Law in Ireland if a full and public inquiry were granted into the execution of Myles Joyce and the continued incarceration of Patrick Joyce, Thomas Joyce, Martin Joyce, and John Casey" (*Mr. Harrington*), 127; Question proposed, "That those words be there inserted;" Debate adjourned

Debate resumed [Second Night] *Oct* 24, 167; after long debate, Debate adjourned

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Parliament—Commons—*cont.*

Resolved, That any proceedings ont he Address have precedence To-morrow and Wednesday over the Notices of Motions and Orders of 293] the Day *Oct* 27

Debate resumed [Third Night] *Oct* 27, 266

After debate, Amendt. to said proposed Amendt. to leave out after "and humbly," to "innocent," inclusive (*Mr. Labouchere*), 298; Question, "That the words, &c." put, and negatived

Question proposed, "That the words 'and this House humbly assures Her Majesty that it would ensure much greater confidence in the administration of the Law in Ireland if a full and public inquiry were granted into the execution of Myles Joyce and the continued incarceration of Patrick Joyce, Thomas Joyce, Martin Joyce, and John Casey,' be inserted after 'us' in paragraph 9;" after debate, Debate adjourned

Notice of Amendment, Lord Randolph Churchill *Oct* 28, 356

Debate resumed [Fourth Night] *Oct* 28, 357; after long debate, Question put; A. 48, N. 219; M. 171 (D. L. 1)

Main Question again proposed; Debate adjourned

Debate resumed [Fifth Night] *Oct* 29, 441; after long debate (*Affairs of South Africa*) Debate adjourned

Debate resumed [Sixth Night] *Oct* 30, 543

Amendt. to insert in ninth paragraph, after "us," "and humbly to assure Her Majesty that this House regrets to find in recent speeches and actions of one of Her Majesty's Ministers, holding the high office of President of the Board of Trade, an incitement to interference with the freedom of political discussion, and a justification of riot and disorder" (*Lord Randolph Churchill*); Question proposed, "That those words be there inserted;" after long debate, Question put; A. 178, N. 214; M. 36 (D. L. 2)

Main Question again proposed; Debate adjourned

Questions, Lord Randolph Churchill, Mr. Lewis; Answers, Mr. Chamberlain *Oct* 31, 665

Debate resumed [Seventh Night] *Oct* 31, 668

Amendt. to insert in ninth paragraph, after "us," "but humbly to direct Her Majesty's attention to the depressed condition of commerce and agriculture, and regret that Her Majesty's gracious Speech contains no reference to a subject of such paramount importance" (*Mr. Mac Iver*), 668; Question proposed, "That those words be there inserted;" after long debate, Question put; A. 67, N. 86; M. 19 (D. L. 3)

Main Question again proposed, 759; Debate adjourned

Debate resumed [Eighth Night] *Nov* 3, 798

Amendt. to insert in ninth paragraph, after "us," "but humbly to represent to Her Majesty that it is essential to the public interest that the Criminal Law, more particularly with regard to the composition of juries, be impartially administered to the

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different classes of the people of Ireland" (*Mr. Sexton*), 798; Question proposed, "That those words be there inserted;" after long debate, Question put; A. 30, N. 118; M. 88 (D. L. 4)

293] Main Question again proposed, 894; Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Mr. Gladstone*); Question put, and negatived

Main Question again proposed; Debate adjourned

Resolved, That any further proceedings on the Address appointed for this day or to-morrow have precedence over the Notices of Motions and Orders of the Day (*Mr. Gladstone*) *Nov* 4

Debate resumed [Ninth Night] *Nov* 4, 910; after long debate, Question put; A. 34, N. 140; M. 106 (D. L. 5)

Main Question again proposed, 959

Amendt. to insert in ninth paragraph, after "us," "humbly to express our regret that Her Majesty's Government should have assumed a formal protectorate over Bechuanaland without taking effectual precautions to prevent Montsioa from being conquered by freebooters domiciled and organized in the Transvaal under the sanction of its Government:

"And, further, to express our regret that, after Her Majesty's Government had received full information of the forcible appropriation of Montsioa's land by the Rooi-Grond freebooters, delay, greatly increasing the difficulties of any settlement, has been permitted to take place in announcing the intention of Her Majesty's Government to turn out the freebooters, by force if necessary, from the territory under Her Majesty's protection" (*Mr. Gorst*), 959; Question proposed, "That those words be there inserted;" after debate, Amendt. withdrawn

Main Question put, and agreed to

Committee appointed, "to draw up an Address to be presented to Her Majesty upon the said Resolution

Committee nominated as follows:—Mr. Stafford Howard (Chairman), The Lord Advocate, Mr. Chamberlain, Mr. Cross, Sir Charles Dilke, Mr. Gladstone, Lord Richard Grosvenor, Secretary Sir William Harcourt, The Marquess of Hartington, Mr. Hibbert, Lord Kensington, and Mr. Summers

Report of Address brought up, and read *Nov* 4; Address read a second time; Further Proceeding thereon deferred

Further Proceeding resumed *Nov* 5, 996

Amendt. at end of seventh paragraph, after "provision," insert "Humbly to pray Her Majesty to direct Her Ministers, in the interests of freedom and commerce, and for the security of Egypt, to efficiently support General Gordon in establishing a stable and civilised Government at Khartoum" (*Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett*); Question proposed, "That those words be there inserted;" after debate, Question put, and negatived

Moved, "That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Address to be presented to Her Majesty"

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PARLIAMENT—COMMONS—*cont.*

After debate (*Crime and Outrage (Ireland)—The Ballyforan Murder*); Question put; A. 134, N. 18; M. 116 (D. L. 6); Address agreed to

Her Majesty's Answer to the Address reported *Nov* 11, [293] 1461

*Privileges*, Ordered, That a Committee for Privileges be appointed *Oct* 23

*The Lovat Peerage—Removal of Coffin Plates from Vault at Kirkhill*, Questions, Mr. Morgan Lloyd; Answers, The Lord Advocate *May* 5, [297] 1629; *May* 12, [298] 361; *May* 14, 483

*The Oath of Allegiance taken by Members of this House*, Question, Mr. M'Coan; Answer, The Attorney General *April* 23, [297] 475

*Public Petitions*, Select Committee appointed and nominated *Oct* 28, as follows:—Sir Charles Forster (Chairman), Mr. Cavendish Bentinck, Colonel Colthurst, Mr. Charles Dalrymple, Colonel Digby, Mr. William Lowther, Mr. M'Lagan, Mr. Mulholland, Viscount Newport, Mr. Richard Power, The Marquess of Stafford, The Marquess of Tavistock, Mr. Charles Tennant, Mr. Hanbury-Tracy, Colonel Walrond, and Mr. Reginald Yorke

*Printing*, Select Committee appointed and nominated *Oct* 31, as follows:—Mr. Leonard Courtney (Chairman), Mr. Parnell, Sir Joseph Pease, Mr. Raikes, Mr. Ramsay, Mr. William Henry Smith, Mr. Stansfeld, Colonel Tottenham, Mr. Whitbread, and Mr. Rowland Winn

*Committee of Selection* nominated *Feb* 20, as follows:—Sir John Mowbray (Chairman), Mr. Cubitt, Mr. Orr Ewing, Sir Charles Forster, Mr. Illingworth, Mr. Meldon, and Mr. Whitbread

Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, Mr. Speaker, [294] 906

Ordered, That the Committee of Selection consist of Nine Members; That Mr. Justin M'Carthy be added to the Committee (*Mr. Sexton*) *Mar* 3, 1882

*April* 23, Mr. Justin M'Carthy discharged; Sir Henry Wolff added

*Standing Orders*, Select Committee nominated *Feb* 20, as follows:—Sir John Mowbray (Chairman), Sir Edward Colebrooke, Mr. Cubitt, Mr. Floyer, Mr. Monk, Mr. Mulholland, Sir Lyon Playfair, Lord Arthur Russell, Mr. Shaw, Mr. Whitbread, and Mr. Yorke

Moved, "That the Select Committee on Standing Orders consist of Twelve Members; That Mr. Edmond Dwyer Gray be added to the Committee" (*Mr. Sexton*) *Mar* 3, [294] 1882; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to

*Public Accounts Committee*

Moved, "That the Select Committee on Public Accounts be nominated" (*Mr. Hibbert*) *Mar* 3, [294] 2013; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to

Committee nominated as follows:—Mr. Salt (Chairman), Sir Walter B. Barttelot, Mr. Hibbert, Mr. Laing, Sir John Lubbock, Sir Charles Mills, Mr. Arthur O'Connor, Mr. Rylands, Mr. C. Seely, Mr. W. Shaw, Mr. Solicitor General

*Kitchen and Refreshment Rooms (House of Commons)*

After short debate, Standing Committee appointed, to control the arrangements of the Kitchen and Refreshment Rooms, in the department of the Serjeant at Arms attending this House *Mar* 4

Committee nominated as follows:—Sir William Hart Dyke (Chairman), Mr. Armitstead, Mr. Maurice Brooks, Mr. Duff, Mr. Henry Edwards, Sir Gabriel Goldney, Lord Kensington, Mr. Monk, Mr. Muntz, Captain O'Shea, Mr. Richard Power, Mr. Sheil, Mr. T. Thornhill, Lord Henry Thynne

*July* 9, Mr. Sidney Herbert *added*

### *THE NEW RULES OF PROCEDURE*

*Rule* 1 (*Putting the Question*) — Mr. Speaker puts the Question *Feb* 24, [294] 1186; Notice of Amendment, Mr. Sexton *Feb* 26, 1395

*Ruling of Mr. Speaker on the 24th ultimo*

Entry in the Votes *Mar* 3, [294] 1917

*Rule* 2 (*Adjournment of the House*)

*India—The Bengal Tenancy Bill*

Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Sir Herbert Maxwell*) *Mar* 10, [295] 628; after short debate, Question put, and negatived

*Draft Convention relating to Egyptian Affairs*

Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Sir Stafford Northcote*) *Mar* 23, [296] 235; after debate, Motion withdrawn

*The Royal Commission on the Depression of Trade and Industry — Constitution of the Commission*

Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Mr. Broadhurst*) *Aug* 11, [300] 1745; whereupon a number of Members less than 40 rising in their places, the hon. Member could not proceed with his Motion

*Rule* 5 (*Irrelevance or Repetition*)

Mr. W. Redmond directed to discontinue his speech *Feb* 24, [294] 1185

*Rule* 9 (*Order in Debate*) — *Suspension of a Member Nov* 5, [293] 1037

Moved, "That Mr. O'Donnell be suspended from the service of the House" (*Mr. Gladstone*); A. 163, N. 28; M. 135 (D. L. 7); Mr. O'Donnell suspended accordingly

Mr. O'Brien suspended from the service of the House *Feb* 24, [294] 1187;—The Entry in the Votes, 1192

*Suspension of Mr. O'Brien*, Questions, Mr. Sexton, Sir Stafford Northcote, Mr. Healy, Mr. T. P. O'Connor, Mr. Arthur O'Connor; Answers, Mr. Gladstone, Mr. Speaker *Feb* 26, [294] 1421

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PARLIAMENT—COMMONS—*cont.*

*ORDER*

*Uncovering of Members to Royal Messages*, Question, Observations, The Chancellor of the Exchequer; Reply, Mr. Speaker *Oct* 27, [293] 260

*Questions to Ministers*, Questions, Mr. Roundell, Sir Herbert Maxwell, Mr. Sexton; Answers, Mr. Gladstone *Nov* 14, [293] 1725

*Motions and Questions—Amendments*, Notice, Mr. Craig Sellar; Question, Mr. Warton; Answer, Mr. Speaker *Dec* 2, [294] 433

*Questions—Home Rule*, Questions, Mr. Borlase; Answers, Mr. Speaker, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *July* 16, [299] 912

*Standing Order, No.* 425A—*Amendments on the Motion for going into Committee of Supply*, Observations, Question, Mr. Arthur O'Connor; Answer, Mr. Speaker *Mar* 12, [295] 893

*The Newspaper Press — Offensive Cartoons*, Notices of Questions, Mr. Beresford, Mr. T. P. O'Connor; Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, Mr. Speaker *Mar* 19, [295] 1679

*Select Committees—Attendance of Members*, Question, Observations, Mr. Sexton; Reply, Mr. Speaker *April* 16, [296] 1841

*Railway Rates and Charges Bills*, Question, Mr. Rolls; Answer, Mr. Chamberlain *April* 16, [296] 1853

*Course of Procedure — Registration (Occupation Voters) Bill*, Observations, Mr. J. Lowther, Sir Charles W. Dilke; Reply, Mr. Speaker *May* 13, [298] 438

*Public Bills—Notices of Objection*, Questions, Mr. Warton, Mr. Gibson; Answers, Mr. Speaker *May* 21, [298] 1039

*SITTINGS AND ADJOURNMENT OF THE HOUSE*

Moved, "That the House, at its rising, do adjourn till Thursday" (*Lord Richard Grosvenor*) *Nov* 11, [293] 1533; Motion agreed to

*Adjournment*, House, at its rising, to adjourn till Wednesday *Nov* 17

Moved, "That this House, at the rising of the House this day, do adjourn till Monday next" (*Lord Richard Grosvenor*); Observations, Lord Randolph Churchill; short debate
294] thereon *Nov* 24, 284; Question, Lord John Manners; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *Dec* 2, 446

Moved, "That the House, at its rising on Saturday next, do adjourn till Thursday 19th February" (*Lord Richard Grosvenor*) *Dec* 4, 796; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to

Moved, "That this House, at the rising of the House this day, do adjourn till Saturday" (*Lord Richard Grosvenor*) *Dec* 4, 798; after debate, Question put; A. 43, N. 9; M. 34 (D. L. 23)

Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Lord Richard Grosvenor*) *Dec* 6, 843

Notice taken, that 40 Members were not present; House counted, and Mr. Speaker declared that 37 Members only were present

The Sitting was then suspended at five minutes to Two o'clock

The House was adjourned at two minutes after Four o'clock till Thursday 19th February

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PARLIAMENT—COMMONS—*Sittings and Adjournment of the House*—cont.

Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Lord Richard Grosvenor*) *Mar* 19, [295] 1846; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to

Resolved, That, whenever the House meets at Two of the clock, the Sittings of the House shall be held subject to the Resolutions of the House of the 30th of April 1869 (*Lord Richard Grosvenor*) *Mar* 26

Moved, "That this House, at its rising, do adjourn till To-morrow" (*Lord Richard Grosvenor*) *Mar* 27, [296] 963; Motion agreed to

Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Sir William Hart Dyke*) *April* 22, [297] 415; after short debate, Question put, and negatived

*Ascension Day—Committees*

Moved, "That Committees shall not sit To-morrow, being Ascension Day, until Two of the clock, and have leave to sit until Six of the clock, notwithstanding the sitting of the House" (*Mr. Gladstone*) *May* 13, [298] 438; Question put; A. 54, N. 4; M. 50 (D. L. 185)

*The Easter Recess*

Moved, "That this House, at its rising, do adjourn till Thursday the 9th of April" (*The Marquess of Hartington*) *Mar* 31, [296] 1110; after long debate, Question put, and agreed to

*The Whitsuntide Recess*

Observations, Sir R. Assheton Cross *May* 20, [298] 951; Moved, "That the House, at its rising on Friday, do adjourn till Thursday the 4th of June" (*Sir Charles W. Dilke*); Debate arising; Debate adjourned

Debate resumed *May* 21, 1077; after debate, Question put, and agreed to

*Resignation of Ministers*

*Statement of Mr. Gladstone—Arrangement of Public Business*

Moved, "That this House will, at the rising of the House this day, adjourn till Friday next"
298] (*Mr. Gladstone*) *June* 9, 1517; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to

Moved, "That all Committees have leave to sit, notwithstanding the Adjournment of the House" (*Mr. Gladstone*); Question put, and agreed to

Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Mr. Gladstone*); Question put, and agreed to

*Arrangement of Public Business*, Statement, Mr. Gladstone *June* 12, 1528

Moved, "That this House will, at the rising of the House this day, adjourn till Friday next" (*Mr. Gladstone*) *June* 15, 1536; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to

Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Mr. Gladstone*) *June* 15, 1583; after short debate, Question put; A. 32, N. 55; M. 23 (D. L. 206)

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*Parliament—Resignation of Ministers*—cont.

*Orders of the Day*

Moved, "That the remaining Orders of the Day be deferred till Friday" (*Mr. Rowley* 298] *Hill*) *June* 15, 1586; after short debate, Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Sir Henry Fletcher*); after further short debate, Motion withdrawn; original Question put; A. 75, N. 7; M. 68 (D. L. 207)

Moved, "That this House will, at the rising of the House this day, adjourn until Tuesday next" (*Mr. Gladstone*) *June* 19, 1603; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to

*Acceptance of Office by the New Ministers—Statement of Mr. Gladstone*

Moved, "That Standing Order No. 1 be suspended, and that this House, at its rising, do adjourn until To-morrow at Five of the clock" (*Mr. Gladstone*) *June* 23, 1618; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to

Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Mr. Gladstone*); Question put, and agreed to

*The New Ministry—New Writs*

Moved, "That this House, at its rising, do adjourn till Friday" (*Mr. Rowland Winn, Secretary to the Treasury*) *June* 24

*The Correspondence*, Statement, Mr. Gladstone *June* 24, 1623

Motion withdrawn

Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Mr. Rowland Winn*) *June* 24; Question put, and agreed to

Resolved, That this House will, at the rising of the House this day, adjourn till Monday 6th July (*Mr. Akers-Douglas, Secretary to the Treasury*) *June* 25

*Committees*

Ordered, That all Committees have leave to sit, notwithstanding the adjournment of the House (*Mr. Gladstone*) *June* 15, 1540

Ordered, That all Committees have leave to sit, notwithstanding the adjournment of the House (*Mr. Gladstone*) *June* 19

Ordered, That all Committees have leave to sit, notwithstanding the adjournment of the House *June* 25

*Commencement of Public Business*, Observation, The Chancellor of the Exchequer (Sir Michael Hicks-Beach) *July* 7, 1824

Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Sir Henry Holland, Secretary to the Treasury*) *July* 29, [300] 475; after short debate, it being Six of the clock the House stood adjourned till To-morrow

*PRIVATE BILLS*

*Railway Rates and Charges Bills*, Question, Mr. Rolls; Answer, Mr. Chamberlain *Feb* 20, [294] 908; — *Railway Bills*, Question Sir Bernhard Samuelson; Answer, Mr. Chamberlain, 909; Question, Mr. R. H. Paget: Answer, Sir Arthur Otway *Mar* 5, [295] 116; Question, Sir Bernhard Samuelson; Answer, Mr. Chamberlain *Mar* 9, 437; Questions, Mr. Rolls, Sir Joseph Pease,

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PARLIAMENT—COMMONS—*Private Bills*—cont.

Mr. Causton, Mr. R. H. Paget, Sir Bernhard Samuelson, Mr. Tomlinson, Mr. Hicks, Mr. Sclater-Booth; Answers, Mr. Chamberlain *Mar* 13, 1070; Question, Mr. Puleston; Answer, Mr. Chamberlain *Mar* 19, 1702

*The North-Eastern Railway Company's Bill*, Questions, Sir Bernhard Samuelson, Lord Randolph Churchill; Answers, Sir Joseph Pease, Mr. Speaker *April* 24, [297] 652

Ordered, That Standing Orders 39 and 129 be suspended, and that the time for depositing Petitions against Private Bills, or against any Bill to confirm any Provisional Order, or Provisional Certificate, and for depositing duplicates of any Documents relating to any Bill to confirm any Provisional Order, or Provisional Certificate, be extended to Thursday the 4th day of June (*The Chairman of Ways and Means*) *May* 22

*THE STANDING COMMITTEES*

*The Standing Committees on Law and Trade*, Question, Mr. Raikes; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *Feb* 26, [294] 1417

*BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE AND PUBLIC BUSINESS*

*Notices of Motions and Orders of the Day—Irish Industries*, Observations, Question, Sir Eardley Wilmot; Reply, Mr. Gladstone 293] *Oct* 30, 542; Questions, Mr. Broadhurst, Mr. Raikes, Mr. Gorst; Answers, Mr. Gladstone *Oct* 24, 161; — *Scotch Bills*, Question, Sir John Hay; Answer, The Lord Advocate *Oct* 30, 526;—*Representation of the People Bill*, Question, Sir Stafford Northcote; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *Oct* 30, 543;—*Lord Mayor's Day*, Question, Sir Stafford Northcote; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *Nov* 7, 1227;—*Supply—The Earl of Northbrook's Mission*, Observations, Mr. Gladstone; short debate thereon *Nov* 11, 1458;—*Redistribution*, Question, Sir John Hay; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *Nov* 13, 1586; —*The Egyptian Policy of the Government*, Question, Sir Stafford Northcote; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Nov* 14, 1729

Ordered, That the Orders of the Day be postponed until after the Notice of Motion for leave to bring in a Bill for the Redistribution of Seats (*The Marquess of Hartington*) *Dec* 1

Ordered, That the Notice of Motion for a Return of ships in Her Majesty's Navy have precedence of the other Notices of Motions (*Mr. Gladstone*) *Dec* 2

Ordered, That the Orders of the Day be postponed until after the Notice of Motion relating to Egypt and the Soudan (*Mr. Gladstone*) *Feb* 23

Moved, "That the Notices of Motions be postponed until after the Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on Egypt and the Soudan" (*Mr. Gladstone*) *Feb* 24, 294] 1179

After debate, Amendt., after "Motions," insert "except the Motion relating to the Royal

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Irish Constabulary (District Inspector Mur-294] phy) (*Mr. Arthur O'Connor*), 1186; Question proposed, "That those words be there inserted;" after debate, Moved, "That the Question be now put" (*Mr. Gladstone*); Question put; A. 207, N. 46; M. 161 (D. L. 29)

Question put, "That the words 'except the Motion relating to the Royal Irish Constabulary (District Inspector Murphy)' be there inserted;" A. 235, N. 19; M. 216 (D. L. 30)

Main Question again proposed, 1190; after short debate, main Question put; A. 222, N. 19; M. 203 (D. L. 31)

Moved, "That the Order for resuming the Adjourned Debate on Egypt and the Soudan has precedence of other Orders of the Day" (*Mr. Gladstone*) *Feb* 27, 1623; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to

Moved, "That the Orders of the Day be postponed until after the Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Egyptian Loan" (*Mr. Gladstone*) *Mar* 27, [296] 849; after short debate, Motion agreed to

Questions, Mr. Arthur Arnold, Sir Wilfrid Lawson; Answers, Lord Richard Grosvenor *Nov* 19, 24; Questions, Mr. W. H. Smith; Sir Joseph Pease; Answers, The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Gladstone *Nov* 20, 72; Questions, Sir Walter B. Barttelot, Mr. J. Lowther; Answers, Mr. Gladstone, 75; Questions, Sir Stafford Northcote, Sir Wilfrid Lawson, Mr. Warton; Answers, Mr. Gladstone *Nov* 21, 139; Question, Sir Wilfrid Lawson; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Nov* 22, 221; Ministerial Statement, Mr. Gladstone, 657; Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, Mr. Speaker *Feb* 23, 1142;—*Egypt* (*Finance, &c.*)—*The Earl of Northbrook's Report*, Observations, Mr. Gladstone; Questions, Sir Stafford Northcote, Mr. Bourke, Lord Randolph Churchill, Baron Henry De Worms; Answers, Mr. Gladstone *Nov* 20, 69;—*Questions*, Questions, Mr. D. Grant, Sir Alexander Gordon, Mr. Sexton, Mr. Joseph Cowen; Answers, Mr. Gladstone *Dec* 4, 649;—*The Vote of Censure* (*Sir Stafford Northcote*), Questions, Sir Stafford Northcote, Mr. Onslow; Mr. A. J. Balfour, Sir Trevor Lawrence, Mr. Macfarlane, Mr. Richard, Sir George Campbell, Mr. Finch-Hatton, Mr. Parnell, Mr. Theodore Fry, Mr. Kenny; Answers, Mr. Gladstone, Sir Charles W. Dilke, Mr. J. K. Cross, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman, Mr. Hibbert *Feb* 19, 863; Questions, Sir Stafford Northcote, Mr. John Redmond, Mr. Onslow; Answers, Mr. Gladstone *Feb* 20, 931;—*Procedure on the Vote of Censure*, Question, Observations, Sir Stafford Northcote; Reply, Mr. Gladstone *Feb* 26, 1420;—*The Amendments on the Vote of Censure*, Questions, Mr. Bryce, Lord George Hamilton; Answers, Mr. Speaker, Mr. Gladstone *Feb* 27, 1622;—*National School Teachers* (*Ireland*) *Bill*, Question, Mr. Justin M'Carthy; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Feb* 23, 1021;—

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*Parliamentary Elections* (*Redistribution*) *Bill*, Questions, Mr. Albert Grey, Mr. Courtney; Answers, Sir Charles W. Dilke, 294] The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 2, 1783; Question, Mr. Broadhurst; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *Mar* 3, 1911;—*The Registration Bill*, Question, Mr. E. Stanhope; Answer, The Attorney General *Mar* 3, 1904

*Order of Business*, Question, Sir Stafford Northcote; Answers, The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Charles W. Dilke 295] *Mar* 4, 45; Questions, Sir Eardley Wilmot, Sir Stafford Northcote, Mr. Courtney; Answers, Mr. Gladstone, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 6, 293; Question, Sir Edward J. Reed; Answer, Dr. Cameron *Mar* 9, 450; Questions, Mr. Macfarlane, Mr. A. J. Balfour; Answers, Mr. Gladstone 452; Question, Dr. Cameron; Anwers, Mr. Gladstone *Mar* 10, 628; Question, Mr. R. N. Fowler; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Mar* 11, 832;—*Intermediate Education* (*Wales*), Question, Mr. Morgan Lloyd; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *Mar* 9, 449;—*Questions*—*State of the Notice Paper*, Questions, Mr. A. J. Balfour, Sir Alexander Gordon; Answers, Mr. Gladstone *Mar* 12, 890;—*The Vote on Account*, Questions, Mr. Healy, Mr. W. H. Smith; Answers, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Mar* 12, 892;—*Supply*, Question, Sir Walter B. Barttelot; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *Mar* 13, 1087;—*The Committees on Public Expenditure*, Questions, Mr. Rylands, Mr. W. H. Smith; Answers, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Mar* 18, 1586;—*Egypt* (*Finance, &c.*)—*The International Agreement*, Question, Observations, Sir Stafford Northcote; Reply, Mr. Gladstone *Mar* 19, 1704;—*The Suspension of Mr. O'Brien*, Question, Mr. T. P. O'Connor; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *Mar* 19, 1707

Questions, Mr. Raikes, Mr. T. P. O'Connor, Mr. Joseph Cowen, Dr. Cameron, Mr. R. N. Fowler; Answers, Sir Charles W. Dilke, 296] Mr. Gladstone, Mr. Speaker *Mar* 27, 846; Questions, Sir Stafford Northcote, Mr. Sexton; Answers, Mr. Gladstone *April* 16, 1873;—*Questions to Ministers*, Question, Mr. Leake; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *Mar* 20, 56;—*Irish Bills*, Questions, Mr. Lewis, Mr. Sexton, Mr. T. P. O'Connor; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman, 63;—*The East India* (*Loan*) *Bill*, Question, Mr. E. Stanhope; Answer, Mr. J. K. Cross, 65;—*The Cape of Good Hope* (*Advance*) *Bill*, Question, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach; Answer, Mr. Hibbert, 66;—*Parliamentary Elections* (*Redistribution*) *Bill*, Question, Sir R. Assheton Cross; Answer, Sir Charles W. Dilke *Mar* 26, 680;—*The Egyptian Loan Bill*, Questions, Sir Stafford Northcote; Answers, The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Gladstone *April* 9, 1157

Ministerial Statement, Mr. Gladstone; short 297] debate thereon *April* 17, 32; Questions, Sir Stafford Northcote, Mr. Warton; Answers, Sir Charles W. Dilke *April* 22, 391; Questions, Mr. Ritchie, Mr. Lewis, Mr. Parnell, Mr. Gibson; Answers, Sir Charles W. Dilke, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *April* 23, 493;

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Statement, Sir Charles W. Dilke; short
297] debate thereon *April* 29, 1080; Questions,
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Mr. Gladstone *April* 30, 1128; Questions,
Mr. Serjeant Simon, Lord Randolph
Churchill; Answers, Sir Charles W. Dilke
*May* 4, 1515; Question, Sir Stafford Northcote;
Answer, Mr. Gladstone *May* 5, 1654;
Observations, Mr. Gladstone; short debate
thereon *May* 6, 1810;—*Parliamentary Elections*
(*Redistribution*) *Bill*, Questions, Mr.
Warton, Mr. Healy, Mr. Sexton; Answers,
Sir Charles W. Dilke *April* 20, 155;—*Central
Asia—Russia and Afghanistan—Diplomatic
Negotiations*, Questions, Sir Stafford Northcote,
Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett, Mr. E. Stanhope,
Mr. Ritchie; Answers, Mr. Gladstone
*April* 27, 823;—*The Vote of Credit*, Observations,
Mr. Courtney, The Marquess of
Hartington, Mr. Jacob Bright *April* 27,
936; Question, Sir Stafford Northcote;
Answer, Mr. Gladstone *April* 28, 970;
Questions, Mr. T. P. O'Connor, Mr.
Onslow; Answers, Sir Charles W. Dilke;
short debate thereon *May* 4, 1517;—*The
Registration of Voters Bills*, Questions, Mr.
Parnell, Mr. Gorst, Sir Stafford Northcote,
Sir Michael Hicks-Beach; Answers, Mr.
Gladstone *May* 7, 1865

Questions, Sir Edward J. Reed, Sir Michael
Hicks-Beach, Mr. Bourke; Answers, Mr.
298] Gladstone *May* 11, 148;—*Ascension Day
— Committees*, Motion, Mr. Gladstone
*May* 13, 438; Observations, Mr. Gladstone;
Question, Mr. Firth; Answer, Mr.
Gladstone *May* 18, 718; Observation, Mr.
Gladstone *May* 21, 1042;—*The Whitsuntide
Holidays*, Question, Sir Stafford
Northcote; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *May* 8,
31; Questions, Sir Stafford Northcote, Sir
Michael Hicks-Beach, Lord Randolph
Churchill, Mr. Puleston; Answers, Mr.
Gladstone, The Chancellor of the Exchequer,
The Marquess of Hartington *May* 12,
365; *May* 20, 951; *May* 21, 1077;
—*The Civil Service Estimates — Devolution*,
Questions, Mr. Baxter, Mr. Onslow;
Answers, Mr. Speaker, Mr. Gladstone
*May* 11, 145;—*Ministerial Statement*, Mr.
Gladstone; Question, Mr. Bulwer; Answer,
Mr. Speaker; Questions, Mr. Gorst, Mr. E.
Stanhope, Lord Randolph Churchill, Mr.
Mitchell Henry, Mr. O'Brien, Mr. Jesse
Collings, Mr. Sexton; Answers, Mr. Gladstone
*May* 15, 626;—*Ministerial Statement*,
Mr. Gladstone; Questions, Mr. Joseph
Cowen, Lord George Hamilton; Answers,
Mr. Gladstone *June* 5, 1344; — *New Rules
of Procedure* (*Rule* 12—*Notices on going
into Committee of Supply*), Observations,
Mr. Sclater-Booth, Mr. Gorst; Reply, Mr.
Speaker; short debate thereon *May* 18, 720;
—*Telegraph Acts Amendment Bill*, Questions,
Lord John Manners, Mr. Stuart-Wortley,
Sir Stafford Northcote; Answers, Mr. Shaw
Lefevre, Sir William Harcourt, The Attorney
General *May* 19, 947;—*Wednesday
Sittings*, Resolution, Mr. Warton *May* 19,
950 [House counted out];—*The Count Out
of Friday Night*, Question, Lord Randolph
Churchill; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *June* 8,
298] 1413

*The New Ministry*

*Business of the House*, Questions, Mr. Jesse
Collings, Mr. Macfarlane; Answers, The
Chancellor of the Exchequer (Sir Michael
Hicks-Beach); short debate thereon *July* 6,
298] 1708

Questions, Mr. James Stuart, The Marquess
of Hartington, Mr. Webster, Mr. Childers,
Mr. Lewis, Mr. Jesse Collings, Mr. Sclater-Booth;
Answers, The Chancellor of the
Exchequer, The Secretary of State for War
299] (Mr. W. H. Smith) *July* 16, 925; Questions,
Mr. James Stuart, Mr. Cavendish Bentinck,
Mr. J. Lowther, Mr. Arthur Arnold; Answers,
The Chancellor of the Exchequer
*July* 17, 1063; Question, Sir Robert Fowler;
Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer
*July* 20, 1212; Questions, The Marquess of
Hartington, Mr. Parnell, Mr. Buchanan,
Mr. Shaw Lefevre; Answers, The Chancellor
of the Exchequer *July* 21, 1409;
Questions, Mr. James Stuart, Mr. Monk;
Answers, The Secretary of State for the
Home Department (Sir R. Assheton Cross)
*July* 22, 1517; Questions, Mr. J. W. Barclay,
Captain Aylmer, Mr. Parnell, Mr.
Buchanan; Answers, The Chancellor of the
Exchequer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland
(Sir W. Hart Dyke) *July* 23, 1632; Question,
Mr. H. H. Fowler; Answer, The Chancellor
of the Exchequer, 1729; Question, Sir
William Harcourt; Answer, The Chancellor
of the Exchequer *July* 24, 1786;—*Police
Enfranchisement Extension Bill*, Question,
Lord Claud Hamilton; Answer, The Chancellor
of the Exchequer *July* 10, 286;—
*Telegraph Acts Amendment Bill*, Question,
Mr. Houldsworth; Answer, The Postmaster
General (Lord John Manners) *July* 13, 424;
—*Scotch Business*, Question, Mr. Ramsay;
Answer, The Lord of the Treasury (Mr.
Dalrymple) *July* 13, 433;—*Criminal Law
Amendment Bill*, Question, Sir William
Harcourt; Answer, The Chancellor of the
Exchequer *July* 13, 433; Questions, Mr.
Hopwood, Mr. James Stuart; Answers, The
Chancellor of the Exchequer *July* 14, 664;
Questions, Mr. J. G. Talbot, Mr. M'Coan;
Answers, The Chancellor of the Exchequer
*July* 20, 1202;—*Sea Fisheries Amendment
Bill*, Question, Lord Elcho; Answer, The
Chancellor of the Exchequer *July* 14, 659

Questions, Sir Edward Colebrooke, Mr. Lewis;
Answers, The Chancellor of the Exchequer
300] *July* 27, 66; Question, Sir George Campbell;
Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer
*July* 30, 527; Questions, Mr. Arthur
O'Connor, Mr. Labouchere; Answers, The
Chancellor of the Exchequer *July* 31, 680;
Questions, Sir William Harcourt, Mr. Serjeant
Simon, Mr. Newdegate; Answers, The
Chancellor of the Exchequer *Aug* 3, 843;
Questions, The Marquess of Hartington,
Mr. A. R. D. Elliot; Answers, The Chancellor
of the Exchequer, The Secretary of
State for the Home Department (Sir R.

PARLIAMENT — COMMONS — *The New Ministry*—cont.

300] Assheton Cross) *Aug* 4, 1062; Question, Mr. West; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer, 1064; Questions, Mr. Labouchere, Mr. A. R. D. Elliot; Answers, The Chancellor of the Exchequer, The Secretary of State for the Home Department (Sir R. Assheton Cross) *Aug* 6, 1285;—*Ministerial Statement*, Questions, The Marquess of Hartington, General Sir George Balfour, Sir John Hay, Colonel Colthurst, Mr. James Stuart; Answers, The Chancellor of the Exchequer, The President of the Local Government Board (Mr. A. J. Balfour) *Aug* 10, 1582; — *Land Purchase* (*Ireland*) *Bill*, Question, Mr. Findlater; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *July* 27, 57; Questions, Mr. Brodrick, Mr. Serjeant Simon; Answers, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Aug* 6, 1284; Questions, Mr. Brodrick, Colonel Nolan, Mr. Sexton; Answers, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Aug* 7, 1454; — *Universities* (*Scotland*) *Bill*, Question, Mr. Webster; Answers, The Secretary of State for the Home Department (Sir R. Assheton Cross), The Chancellor of the Exchequer *July* 28, 242; — *Criminal Law Amendment Bill*, Question, Captain Price; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer; Observations, Mr. Shaw Lefevre, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *July* 30, 525; — *Consolidated Fund* (*Appropriation*) *Bill*, Questions, Mr. James Stuart, Mr. Labouchere, Mr. T. P. O'Connor; Answers, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Aug* 3, 847;—*Police Enfranchisement Bill*, Question, Mr. Coleridge Kennard; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Aug* 3, 848;—*Labourers* (*Ireland*) *Bill*, Questions, Mr. Gray, Mr. Sexton, Mr. T. P. O'Connor; Answers, The Chancellor of the Exchequer, The Attorney General for Ireland (Mr. Holmes) *Aug* 3, 848; —*Secretary for Scotland Bill*, Question, Sir Lyon Playfair; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Aug* 3, 849

*The Prorogation*

Moved, "That the Standing Orders relating to Wednesday Sittings be suspended To-morrow" (*Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer*) *Aug* 11, 1742; after short debate, Motion agreed to

*Infants Bill*, Question, Mr. Firth; Answer,
301] Mr. Speaker *Aug* 14, 37

*MISCELLANEOUS*

*The Ministry*

*The Secretary to the Admiralty*, Questions, Sir H. Drummond Wolff; Answers, Mr. Gladstone *Oct* 23, [293] 57

*Personal Opinion of Members not in the Cabinet—Mr. Courtney and South Africa*, Question, Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *Oct* 30, [293] 540

*The Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland*, Questions, Mr. Firth, Mr. T. P. O'Connor; Answers, Mr. Gladstone *Oct* 31, [293] 654

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PARLIAMENT — COMMONS — *Miscellaneous — The Ministry*—cont.

*Resignation of Mr. Courtney*, Question, Colonel King-Harman; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Dec* 2, [294] 442

*Illness of the Prime Minister*, Personal Explanation, Mr. Warton *Mar* 3, [294] 1885

*The Government and the Newspaper Press—Official Communications*, Questions, Mr. Raikes, Sir H. Drummond Wolff, Lord Randolph Churchill; Answers, Lord Richard Grosvenor; Questions, Mr. J. Lowther, Mr. T. P. O'Connor; [no reply] *Oct* 30, [293] 521

*Lord Randolph Churchill and the Khedive*, Notice of Question, Mr. M'Coan; Answer, The Secretary of State for India (Lord Randolph Churchill) *July* 6, [298] 1702

*Printing of Parliamentary Papers*

Notice of Question, Mr. W. H. Smith *Nov* 14, [293] 1731

*Delivery to Members*, Question, Mr. W. H. Smith; Answer, Mr. Courtney *Nov* 20, [294] 73

*Irregular Publication—The Royal Commission on Trawling*, Questions, Sir Alexander Gordon, Mr. Raikes; Answers, Sir William Harcourt *Mar* 12, [295] 870

*The Conservatives and General Gordon*, Questions, Sir Frederick Milner; Answers, Mr. Evelyn Ashley *Dec* 1, [294] 370

*The Dissolution — Postponement of School Board Elections*, Notice of Question, Sir Charles W. Dilke *July* 10, [299] 286; Question, Mr. Healy; Answer, The Secretary of State for the Home Department (Sir R. Assheton Cross) *July* 16, 915

*Votes of Thanks — The Campaign in the Soudan*, Question, Sir John Hay; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *Mar* 16, [295] 1226

*PALACE OF WESTMINSTER*

*Admission of Strangers to the House—The New Regulations*, Question, Sir H. Drummond Wolff; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *April* 30, [297] 1116

*Access to this House—Mr. Jenkinson*, Questions, Mr. Healy; Answers, The Secretary of State for the Home Department (Sir R. Assheton Cross) *July* 17, [299] 1061

*Accommodation in this House*, Question, Mr. Broadhurst; Answer, The First Commissioner of Works (Mr. Plunket) *July* 13 [299] 421

*Officers of this House—The Serjeant and Deputy Serjeant*, Question, Sir Robert Fowler; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *July* 28, [300] 245

*Completion of Sir Charles Barry's Designs*, Questions, Sir Herbert Maxwell; Answers, Mr. Herbert Gladstone *Mar* 12, [295] 879

*House of Lords—The Appellate Court—Certificate "In Formâ Pauperis,"* Question, Mr. Healy; Answer, The Solicitor General for Ireland *May* 12, [298] 357

*The Smoking Room*, Question, Mr. Onslow; Answer, Mr. Herbert Gladstone *Mar* 23, [296] 229

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PARLIAMENT—*Palace of Westminster*—cont.

*Ventilation of the Houses of Parliament,* Question, Mr. Alderman Lawrence ; Answer, Mr. Herbert Gladstone *April* 23, [297] 470 ; Question, Mr. J. G. Talbot ; Answer, Mr. Herbert Gladstone *April* 30, 1108 ; Question, Sir Lyon Playfair ; Answer, Sir Charles W. Dilke *May* 4, 1484

*Westminster Hall* (*Restoration*), Questions, Sir Herbert Maxwell, Mr. Causton ; Answers, Mr. Herbert Gladstone *Mar* 23, [296] 234 ; Question, Mr. Causton ; Answer, Mr. Herbert Gladstone *April* 30, [297] 1117 ; Question, Mr. Mitchell Henry ; Answer, Mr. Herbert Gladstone *May* 5, 1630 ; Questions, Mr. R. H. Paget, Mr. Mitchell Henry ; Answers, Mr. Herbert Gladstone, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *May* 7, 1831

*Parliament—Business of the House—Registration of Voters Bills*

Moved, "That the several stages of any Bills for the Registration of Voters, in England, Scotland, and Ireland, have precedence of all Orders of the Day and Notices of Motions, on every day on which they shall be set down, by the Government, as the first business of the day" (*Mr. Gladstone*) *April* 20, [297] 165 ; after short debate, Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Lord R. Churchill*) ; after further short debate, Question put ; A. 63, N. 157 ; M. 94 (D. L. 115)

Original Question put, and agreed to

*Parliament—Business of the House* (*Standing Order, No.* 1, *Putting the Question*)

Resolution, Mr. Biggar *April* 21, [297] 390 [House counted out]

*Parliament—Business of the House*

Moved, "That the Committee of Supply have precedence this day of all other business ; and that for the remainder of the Session, including this Day, Orders of the Day have precedence of Notices of Motions on Tuesdays, Government Orders having priority ; that Government Orders have priority on Wednesdays ; and that the Standing Order of the 27th November 1882, relating to Notices on going into Committee of Supply on Monday and Thursday, be extended to Tuesday and Wednesday" (*Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Chancellor of the Exchequer*) *July* 7, [298] 1834

After long debate, Amendt. To leave out from "That," add "this House not having confidence in the present responsible advisers of Her Majesty, declines to entrust the Government with the disposal of the time of the House" (*Sir Wilfrid Lawson*) *v.*, Question proposed, "That the words, &c. ;" after further debate, Question put ; A. 151, N. 2 ; M. 149 (D. L. 211)

Main Question put, and agreed to

*Parliament—House of Lords*

Amendt. on Committee of Supply *Nov* 21, To leave out from "That," add "in view of the fact that the Conservative party is able, and has for many years been able, through its permanent majority in the House of Lords, to alter, defeat, or delay legislation, although that legislation has been recommended by the responsible advisers of the Crown, and approved of by the Nation through its elected representatives, it is desirable to make such alterations in the relations of the two Houses of Parliament as will effect a remedy to this state of things" (*Mr. Labouchere*) *v.*, [294] 141 ; Question proposed, "That the words, &c. ;" after debate, Question put ; A. 145, N. 71 ; M. 74 ; Div. List, A. & N. 164

*Parliament—House of Commons—Retirement of R. A. Gosset, Esq., Serjeant-at-Arms*

Letter received by Mr. Speaker from Mr. Gosset, the Serjeant-at-Arms *July* 20, [299] 1213 ; Letter to be taken into Consideration at a quarter-past 4 on Thursday next

Moved, "That the letter of Mr. Gosset be read by the Clerk at the Table" (*Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer*) *July* 23, 1635 ; Motion agreed to ; Letter read

Moved, "That Mr. Speaker be requested to acquaint Ralph Allen Gosset, esquire, that this House entertains a just sense of the exemplary manner in which he has uniformly discharged the duties of the office of Serjeant-at-Arms, and has devoted himself to the service of the House for a period of nearly fifty years" (*Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer*) ; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to

*Parliament—Palace of Westminster—The House of Commons—The Ladies' Gallery*

Amendt. on Committee of Supply *Mar* 30, To leave out from "That," add "in the opinion of this House, it is advisable to substitute for the present grating of the Ladies' Gallery (or some portion of it) a railing so constructed as not largely to exclude sound, light, and air ; and generally, that the accommodation of the gallery should be improved" (*Mr. Sydney Buxton*) *v.*, [296] 999 ; Question proposed, "That the words, &c. ;" after short debate, Question put ; A. 121, N. 75 ; M. 46 (D. L. 86)

*Parliament — Private Bills—Police and Sanitary Regulations*

Moved, "That the Committee of Selection do appoint a Committee not exceeding Seven Members, to whom shall be referred all Private Bills promoted by Municipal and other Local Authorities by which it is proposed to create powers relating to Police or Sanitary Regulations which deviate from, or are in extension of, or repugnant to, the general Law" (*Mr. Henry H. Fowler*) *Mar* 5, [295] 64

Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Sexton*) ; after debate, Question put ; A. 26, N. 238 ; M. 212 (D. L. 40)

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*Parliament—Private Bills—Police and Sanitary Regulations*—cont.

Original Question put, and agreed to; Committee nominated as follows:—Mr. John Talbot (Chairman), Mr. Arthur Arnold, Mr. Dawson, Sir Gabriel Goldney, Mr. Hastings, Mr. Charles Parker, Mr. West

Moved, "That Standing Order 173A shall be applicable to the said Committee" (*Mr. Henry H. Fowler*), 84; after short debate, Amendt., after "to," insert "all Bills referred to" (*Sir Joseph M'Kenna*); Question proposed, "That those words be there inserted;" Question put, and agreed to

Main Question, as amended, proposed; after further short debate, main Question, as amended, put, and agreed to

*Parliament — Privilege — Speech of Mr. Bright, July* 24

Moved, "That the expressions in the Speech of the Right honourable John Bright, delivered in the Westminster Palace Hotel on Friday night, the 24th of July, as reported in *The Daily News* of Saturday, the 25th of July, charging that certain Members 'who profess to be representatives of Ireland, and who sit in that character in the House of Commons, are disloyal to the Crown,' and that 'they have exhibited a boundless sympathy for criminals and murderers,' are a Breach of the Privileges of the House" (*Mr. Callan*) *July* 28, [300] 250; after debate, Question put; A. 23, N. 154; M. 131; Div. List, A & N, 305

*Parliament—Sessional Orders—The Metropolitan Police—Political Demonstrations*

Sessional Order read, and, after debate, agreed to *Oct* 23, [293] 46

PARLIAMENT—HOUSE OF LORDS

*New Peers*

*Nov* 11—The Right Hon. John George Dodson created Baron Monk Bretton of Conyboro and of Hurstpierpoint in the county of Sussex

Sir Walter Charles James, baronet, created Baron Northbourne of Betteshanger in the county of Kent and of Jarrow Grange in the county palatine of Durham

Arthur Saunders William Charles Fox, Earl of Arran in the Peerage of Ireland, created Baron Sudley of Castle Gore in the county of Mayo

John Robert William Viscount de Vesci in the Peerage of Ireland, created Baron de Vesci of Abbey Leix in the Queen's county

*Nov* 13—Marmaduke Francis Baron Herries in the Peerage of Scotland, created Baron Herries of Carlaverock Castle in the county of Dumfries and of Everingham in the East Riding of the county of York

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PARLIAMENT—LORDS—*New Peers*—cont.

*June* 26—The Right Honourable Sir Hardinge Stanley Giffard, Knight, Lord Chancellor of Great Britain, created Baron Halsbury of Halsbury in the County of Devon

*July* 6—The Right Honourable Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, Baronet, G.C.B., created Viscount Saint Cyres of Newton Saint Cryes in the county of Devon, and Earl of Iddesleigh in the same county

The Right Honourable Edward Gibson, Chancellor of that part of the United Kingdom called Ireland, created Baron Ashbourne of Ashbourne in the county of Meath

Rowland Winn, esquire, created Baron Saint Oswald of Nostell in the West Riding of the county of York

*July* 7—Edward Charles Baring, esquire, created Baron Revelstoke of Membland in the county of Devon

The Right Honourable Sir Robert Porrett Collier, Knight, a Member of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, created Baron Monkswell of Monkswell in the county of Devon

Sir Ralph Robert Wheeler Lingen, K.C.B., created Baron Lingen of Lingen in the county of Hereford

*July* 9—Sir Nathaniel Mayer Rothschild Baronet, created Baron Rothschild of Tring in the county of Hertford

*July* 13—Mervyn Edward, Viscount Powerscourt in that part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland called Ireland, K.P., created Baron Powerscourt of Powerscourt in the county of Wicklow

Anthony Henley, Baron Henley in that part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland called Ireland, created Baron Northington of Watford in the county of Northampton

The Right Honourable Sir Arthur Hobhouse, K.C.S.I., C.I.E., a Member of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, created Baron Hobhouse of Hadspen in the county of Somerset

*July* 14—Gavin, Lord Breadalbane (Earl of Breadalbane in that part of the United Kingdom called Scotland), created Earl of Ormelie in the county of Caithness, and Marquess of Breadalbane

*July* 27—Alexander William George Earl Fife in that part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland called Ireland, K.T., created Earl of Fife

The Right Honourable Sir William Baliol Brett, Knight, Master of the Rolls, created Baron Esher of Esher in the county of Surrey

*July* 28—Sir Robert James Loyd-Lindsay, K.C.B., V.C., created Baron Wantage of Lockinge in the county of Berks

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Parliament—Lords—*cont.*

*Representative Peer for Scotland—(Certificate)*

*June* 12—The Earl of Lindsay, *v.* The Earl of Selkirk, deceased

*Sat First*

*Nov* 3—The Duke of Wellington, after the death of his uncle
The Lord Mendip (Viscount Clifden), after the death of his father
The Lord Petre, after the death of his father
*Nov* 6—The Earl Cowley, after the death of his father
*Nov* 20—The Lord Howard of Glossop, after the death of his father
*Feb* 19—The Earl of Scarborough, after the death of his father
*Feb* 26—The Marquess of Cholmondeley, after the death of his grandfather
The Earl Vane (Marquess of Londonderry), after the death of his father
*Mar* 27—The Earl of Shrewsbury and Earl Talbot, after the death of his father
*May* 18—The Viscount St. Vincent, after the death of his brother
*June* 5—The Earl Cairns, after the death of his father
*July* 24—The Earl of Aylesford, after the death of his brother
*July* 31—The Lord Kenyon, after the death of his grandfather

*Took the Oath for the First Time*

*Feb* 24—The Lord Bishop of Newcastle
*April* 13—The Lord Bishop of London
*April* 14—The Lord Bishop of Llandaff
*July* 30—The Lord Bishop of Truro

Parliament—House of Commons

*New Writs Issued*

*Oct* 23—*For* Radnor, *v.* Samuel Charles Evans Williams, esquire, Manor of Northstead
*For* Stirling, *v.* Henry Campbell-Bannerman, esquire, Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland
*Oct* 24—*For* Scarborough, *v.* Right Hon. John George Dodson, Chiltern Hundreds
*Oct* 27—*For* South Warwickshire, *v.* the Hon. Gilbert Henry Chandos Leigh, deceased
*Nov* 11—*For* Hackney, *v.* the Right Hon. Henry Fawcett, deceased
*Nov* 17—*For* Greenock, *v.* James Stewart, esquire, Manor of Northstead
*For* Down, *v.* Hon. Charles Stewart Vane Tempest, commonly called Viscount Castlereagh, called up to the House of Peers
*Nov* 19—*For* Scarborough, *v.* William Sproston Caine, esquire, one of the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland

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Parliament — Commons — *New Writs Issued*—cont.

*Dec* 2—*For* Knaresborough, *v.* Thomas Collins, esquire, deceased
*Feb* 19—*For* Tipperary County, *v.* Patrick James Smyth, esquire, Secretary to the Loan Fund Board in Ireland
*For* Gloucestershire (Western Division), *v.* Colonel Robert Nigel Fitzhardinge Kingscote, C.B., one of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Woods, Forests, and Land Revenues
*Feb* 20—*For* Mid Somerset, *v.* William Stephen Gore-Langton, esquire, Chiltern Hundreds
*Mar* 6—*For* Glasgow, *v.* George Anderson, esquire, Manor of Northstead
*May* 8—*For* County of Antrim, *v.* James Chaine, esquire, deceased
*May* 15—*For* County of Denbigh, *v.* Sir Watkin Williams Wynn, baronet, deceased
*June* 24—*For* Wakefield Borough, *v.* Robert Bownas Mackie, esquire, deceased
*For* Devon County (Northern Division), *v.* Right honble. Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, First Lord of the Treasury
*For* Gloucester County (Eastern Division), *v.* Right honble. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, baronet, Chancellor of the Exchequer
*For* Lancaster County (South-Western Division), *v.* Right honble Sir Richard Assheton Cross, baronet, Secretary of State
*For* Woodstock Borough, *v.* Right honble. Randolph Henry Spencer Churchill, commonly called Lord Randolph Churchill, Secretary or State
*For* Westminster City, *v.* Right honble. William Henry Smith, Secretary of State
*For* Lancaster County (Northern Division), *v.* Right honble. Frederick Arthur Stanley, Secretary of State
*For* Launceston Borough, *v.* Sir Hardinge Stanley Giffard, Knight, Lord Chancellor of Great Britain
*For* Dublin University, *v.* Right honble. Edward Gibson, Lord Chancellor of Ireland
*For* Middlesex County, *v.* Right honble. George Francis Hamilton, commonly called Lord George Hamilton, First Lord of the Admiralty
*For* Leicester County (Northern Division), *v.* Right honble. John James Robert Manners, Postmaster General
*For* Lincoln County (Mid Division), *v.* Honble. Edward Stanhope, Vice President of the Council
*For* Lincoln County (Mid Division), *v.* Henry Chaplin, esquire, Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster
*For* Hertford Borough, *v.* Arthur James Balfour, esquire, President of the Local Government Board

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Parliament — Commons — *New Writs Issued*—cont.
*For* Dublin University, *v.* Right honble. David Robert Plunket, First Commissioner of Works
*For* Kent County (Mid Division), *v.* Right honble. Sir William Hart Dyke, baronet, Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland
*June* 25—*For* Lincoln County (Northern Division), *v.* Rowland Winn, esquire, Chiltern Hundreds
*For* Kent (Western Division), *v.* Right honble. William Heneage Legge, commonly called Viscount Lewisham, Vice Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household
*For* Down County, *v.* Right honble. Arthur William Hill, commonly called Lord Arthur Hill, Comptroller of Her Majesty's Household
*For* Wilts County (Southern Division), *v.* Right honble. William Pleydell Bouverie, commonly called Viscount Folkestone, Treasurer of Her Majesty's Household
*For* Devon County (Eastern Division), *v.* William Hood Walrond, esquire, Commissioner of the Treasury
*For* Wilton Borough, *v.* the honble. Sidney Herbet, Commissioner of the Treasury
*For* Bute County, *v.* Charles Dalrymple, esquire, Commissioner of the Treasury
*For* Eye Borough, *v.* Ellis Ashmead-Bartlett, esquire, Commissioner of the Admiralty
*July* 6—*For* Brighton, *v.* William Thackeray Marriott, esquire, Q.C., Judge Advocate General
*For* Chatham, *v.* John Eldon Gorst, esquire, Q.C., Solicitor General
*July* 7—*For* Aylesbury, *v.* Sir Nathaniel Mayer Rothschild, baronet, now Baron Rothschild, called up to the House of Peers
*July* 9—*For* Horsham, *v.* Sir Henry Fletcher, baronet, Groom in Waiting

*New Members Sworn*
*Oct* 23—John Tremayne, esquire, *Devon County (Southern Division)*
Patrick Joseph Power, esquire, *Waterford County*
Ronald Craufurd Munro-Ferguson, esquire, *Combined Counties of Ross and Cromarty*
*Oct* 30—Charles Colman Rogers, esquire, *New Radnor Borough*
*Nov* 3—Henry Campbell-Bannerman, esquire, *Stirling Burghs*
*Nov* 6—Lieutenant Colonel Richard Fell Steble, *Scarborough*
*Nov* 10—Sampson Samuel Lloyd, esquire, *Warwick County (Southern Division)*
*Nov* 20—James Stuart, esquire, *Hackney Borough*
*Dec* 1—William Sproston Caine, esquire, *Scarborough*
Thomas Sutherland, esquire, *Greenock*

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Parliament—Commons—*New Members Sworn*—cont.
*Dec* 4—Richard William Blackwood Ker, esquire, *Down County*
*Feb* 19—Robert Gunter, esquire, *Knaresborough*
*Feb* 23—John O'Connor, esquire, *Tipperary County*
*Mar* 5—John Kenelm Digby Wingfield Digby, esquire, *Somerset County (Mid-Division)*
*Mar* 12—Benjamin St. John Akers, esquire, *Gloucester County (Western Division)*
*Mar* 16—Thomas Russell, esquire, *Glasgow City*
*June* 8—William Pirrie Sinclair, esquire, *Antrim County*
Sir Herbert Lloyd Watkin Williams Wynn, baronet, *Denbigh County*
*July* 6—The Right honble. Sir Michael Edward Hicks-Beach, baronet, *Gloucester County* (Eastern Division)
The Right honble. Sir Richard Assheton Cross, G.C.B., *Lancaster County* (South Western Division)
The Right honble. Frederick Arthur Stanley, *Lancaster County* (Northern Division)
The Right honble. William Henry Smith, *Westminster City*
The Right honble. Randolph Henry Spencer Churchill, commonly called Lord Randolph Churchill, *Woodstock Borough*
The Right honble. John James Robert Manners, commonly called Lord John Manners, *Leicester County* (Northern Division)
The honble. Edward Stanhope, *Lincoln County* (Mid Division)
The Right honble. George Francis Hamilton, commonly called Lord George Hamilton, *Middlesex*
The Right honble. David Robert Plunket, *Trinity College, Dublin*
The Right honble. Arthur James Balfour, *Hertford Borough*
The Right honble. Sir William Hart Dyke, baronet, *Kent County* (Mid Division)
Henry Chaplin, esquire, *Lincoln County* (Mid Division)
The Right honble. William Heneage Legge, commonly called Viscount Lewisham, *Kent County* (Western Division)
Charles Dalrymple, esquire, *Bute County*
The Right honble. Pleydell Bouverie, commonly called Viscount Folkestone, *Wilts County* (Southern Division)
Ellis Ashmead-Bartlett, esquire, *Eye Borough*
Richard Edward Webster, esquire, *Launceston Borough*
William Hood Walrond, esquire, *Devon County* (Eastern Division)
The honble. Sidney Herbert, *Wilton Borough*

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*July* 6—Hugh Holmes, esquire, *Trinity College, Dublin*
Edward Green, esquire, *Wakefield Borough*
John Curzon Moore Stevens, esquire, *Devon County* (Northern Division)
*July* 10—Right Hon. William Thackeray Marriott, *Brighton*
*July* 13—John Eldon Gorst, esquire, *Chatham*
Henry John Atkinson, esquire, *Lincoln County* (Northern Division)
*July* 14—Lord Arthur Hill, *County of Down*
*July* 16—Sir Henry Fletcher, baronet, *Horsham*
*July* 20—Ferdinand James de Rothschild, commonly called Baron Ferdinand James de Rothschild, *Aylesbury*

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*Redistribution—Census of Wales*, Questions, Mr. Morgan Lloyd; Answers, Sir John Hay *Nov* 4, [293] 901

*Eye Election*, Questions, Mr. Labouchere, Sir Henry James; Answers, The Attorney General (Sir Richard Webster) *July* 30, [300] 527

*Scarborough Election*, Question, Mr. Caine; Personal Explanation, Sir Thomas Bateson; Answer, The Attorney General; Question, Mr. Labouchere; Observation, Mr. Speaker *Nov* 6, [293] 1108

*Parliamentary Franchise—Woman Suffrage*, Questions, Mr. Tomlinson; Answers, Mr. Gladstone *Oct* 24, [293] 158

*Electoral Districts*, Question, Sir Eardley Wilmot; Answer, Sir Charles W. Dilke *April* 21, [297] 312

*Parliamentary Representation—Borough of Sligo*, Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *Nov* 6, [293] 1116

*Cost of County Elections*, Question, Mr. H. Tollemache; Answer, The Attorney General *Dec* 4, [294] 624

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*County Boundaries* (*Warwickshire, &c*), Question, Mr. Sampson Lloyd; Answer, Sir Charles W. Dilke *Mar* 26, [296] 673

*The Voting Lists—Omission of Recipients of Poor Law Medical Relief*, Questions, Mr. Jesse Collings, Mr. Lewis; Answers, The President of the Local Government Board (Mr. A. J. Balfour), The Chancellor of the Exchequer *July* 10, [299] 282

*Fixing of Polling Places*, Questions, Mr. Heneage, Sir Bernhard Samuelson; Answers, The Attorney General (Sir Richard Webster) *July* 13, [299] 433

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*Use of National Elementary School Rooms*, Question, Mr. Jesse Collings; Answer, The Vice President of the Council (Mr. E. Stanhope) *Aug* 4, [300] 1044 [See title *Registration of Voters*]

*Parliamentary Elections* (*Corrupt and Illegal Practices*) *Act*, 1883

*Amendment*, Question, Mr. Fraser-Mackintosh; Answer, The Lord Advocate *Mar* 17, [295] 1434

*Conservative "Relief" Tickets*, Question, Mr. Jesse Collings; Answer, The Attorney General *Feb* 26, [294] 1409

*Expenses of Candidates*, Questions, Mr. Onslow, Mr. Brodrick, Mr. Staveley Hill, Mr. Gorst; Answers, The Attorney General *Mar* 2, [293] 1760; Question, Mr. A. J. Balfour; Answer, The Attorney General *Mar* 3, 1909;—*Legislation*, Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, The Attorney General *Mar* 6, [295] 284

*Breakfasts to the Unemployed*, Questions, Mr. Kenny, Lord Randolph Churchill; Answers, The Attorney General *April* 16, [296] 1861

*Parliamentary Candidates and Free Breakfasts in the East End*, Question, Mr. Lewis; Answer, The Attorney General *April* 21, [297] 307;—*Voting of Servants and Employés*, Questions, Mr. R. H. Paget; Answers, The Attorney General *April* 23, [297] 464

*Parliamentary Elections* (*Mr. Bradlaugh*)

Letter received by Mr. Speaker from Mr. Bradlaugh *June* 19, [298] 1600

Mr. Bradlaugh, one of the Members for Northampton, came to the Table to take the Oath

Moved, "That this House doth affirm the two Resolutions made upon the 11th of February 1884, directing that Mr. Bradlaugh be not permitted to go through the form of taking the Oath prescribed by the statute 29 Vic. c. 12, and 31 and 32 Vic. c. 72, and directing the Serjeant at Arms to exclude Mr. Bradlaugh from the precincts of the House until he shall engage not to disturb the proceedings of the House" (*Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach*) *July* 6, 1672

Amendt. to leave out from "That," add "Mr. Bradlaugh, Member for Northampton, having informed Mr. Speaker of his intention to come to the Table to be sworn, this House is of opinion that the questions raised concerning promissory and other Oaths call for an early settlement, on wider grounds than the interests of a constituency or its Member, and, believing that legislation is necessary for its settlement, resolves that it be proceeded with as soon as possible" (*Mr. Hopwood*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after debate, Question put; A. 263, N. 219; M. 44 (D. L. 203)

After short debate, main Question put, and agreed to

**Parliamentary Elections and Corrupt Practices Consolidation Bill** (*Mr. Hardcastle, Sir Alexander Gordon*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *April* 22 [Bill 135]
2R. [Dropped]

**Parliamentary Elections (Corrupt Practices) Bill** (*Mr. Richard Paget, Sir Joseph Pease, Mr. Bulwer*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *April* 30 [Bill 148]
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*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. Beauchamp*) *July* 23 (No. 199)
Read 2ª * *July* 24
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Read 3ª * *July* 31
Royal Assent *Aug* 6 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 56]

**Parliamentary Elections (Medical Relief) Bill** (*Mr. Jesse Collings, Mr. Davey, Mr. Burt, Mr. Broadhurst, Mr. Heneage, Mr. Reid, Mr. Charles Russell, Mr. Carbutt, Mr. Agnew*
*c.* Motion for Leave (*Mr. Jesse Collings*) *June* 15, [298] 1590 ; after short debate, Motion agreed to ; Bill ordered ; read 1° * [Bill 206]
2R. [Dropped]

**Parliamentary Elections (Redistribution) Bill** (*Mr. Gladstone, The Marquess of Hartington, Sir Charles W. Dilke, Mr. Attorney General, The Lord Advocate, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman*)
*c.* Motion for Leave (*Mr. Gladstone*) *Dec* 1, 294] 372 ; after short debate, Motion agreed to ; Bill ordered ; read 1° * [Bill 40]
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" *Dec* 4, 658
After debate, Amendt., to leave out from "That," add "in the opinion of this House, the principle of Representation in proportion to Population should be adopted in place of arbitrary figures as a basis, in order to obtain a logical, judicious, and permanent settlement of the question of Redistribution of Seats" (*Sir Henry Tyler*) *v.*, : Question proposed, "That the words, &c. ;" after further long debate, Question put, and agreed to
Main Question put, and agreed to ; Bill read 2°
Order for Committee read ; Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair" *Feb* 19, 880 ; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to ; Committee ; Report ; as amended, to be printed [Bill 49] ; re-committed
Moved, "That the several stages of the Parliamentary Elections (Redistribution) Bill, up to, and including the Consideration of the Bill, as amended, have precedence of all Orders of the Day and Notices of Motions, on every day on which it shall be set down, by the Government, as the first business of

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*Parliamentary Elections (Redistribution) Bill*—cont.
294] the day" (*Mr. Gladstone*) *Feb* 20, 933 ; after short debate, Question put ; A. 223, N. 15 ; M. 208 (D. L. 24)
Order for Committee (*on re-comm.*) read *Mar* 2, 1806
Moved, "That it be an Instruction to the Committee that they have power in all cases where an elector is entitled to one vote only, to enable the elector to nominate more than one candidate to whom under certain circumstances that vote might be transferred in the manner indicated by the elector" (*Sir John Lubbock*) ; after long debate, Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Gorst*) ; after further short debate, Motion agreed to
Debate resumed [Second Night] *Mar* 3, 1917 ; after debate, Question put ; A. 31, N. 134 ; M. 103
Div. List, A. and N. 1937
Moved, "That it be an Instruction to the Committee that they have power to insert an Amendment that Medical relief shall not disqualify any voter under £12 valuation" (*Mr. Healy*), 1938 ; after short debate, Question put, and negatived
Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair," 1943
Amendt. to leave out from "That," add "it is inexpedient that the numbers of this House shall be increased, and, in the opinion of this House, Ireland will be sufficiently represented by ninety Members, and Wales by twenty-five Members" (*Admiral Sir John Hay*) ; Question proposed, "That the words, &c. ;" after long debate, Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Justin M'Carthy*) ; after further short debate, Question put, and negatived
Original Question again proposed, 2002 ; after short debate, original Question put ; A. 132, N. 25 ; M. 107
Div. List, A & N. 2002
Main Question proposed, "That Mr. Speaker, &c. ;" Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Sir Charles W. Dilke*) ; Question put, and agreed to
295] Debate resumed [Third Night] *Mar* 4, 1 ; after long debate, Debate adjourned
Debate resumed [Fourth Night] *Mar* 6, 297 ; after debate, Question, "That Mr. Speaker, &c." put, and agreed to ; Committee [First Night]—R.P.
Committee [Second Night]—R.P. *Mar* 10, 639
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296] Committee [Seventh Night]—R.P. *Mar* 20, 66
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Committee [Thirteenth Night]—R.P. *April* 14,
296] 1639

Committee [Fourteenth Night]—R.P. *April* 15, 1762

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297] R.P. *April* 17, 35

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Considered [First Night] *April* 28, 972 [Bill 134]

Further considered [Second Night] *April* 29, 1050

298] Further considered [Third Night] *May* 8, 33

Moved, "That the Bill be now read 3°" *May* 11, 278; Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Raikes*); after short debate, Motion withdrawn

Original Question again proposed, 284; after short debate, original Question put; A. 116, N. 33; M. 83 (D. L. 178); Bill read 3°

*l.* Read 1ª* (*E. of Kimberley*) *May* 12 (No. 109)

Read 2ª, after short debate *May* 15, 596

Moved, "That the House do now resolve itself into Committee" *June* 8, 1360

Amendt. to leave out ("now,") add ("this day six months") (*The Lord Denman*); on Question, That ("now,") &c.? resolved in the affirmative; after short debate, Committee, 1374

Report of Amendts. to be received To-morrow; and Standing Order No. XXXV. to be considered in order to its being dispensed with *June* 11

Report of Amendts. considered *June* 12, 1522; after debate, Standing Order No. XXXV. considered and dispensed with; Bill read 3ª with the Amendts. and passed, and sent to the Commons (No. 129)

*c.* Lords Amendts. to be considered upon Monday next, and to be printed *June* 12 [Bill 202]

Moved, "That the Lords Amendts. be now considered" *June* 15, 1540

Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Sir H. Drummond Wolff*); Question put; A. 35, N. 333; M. 298 (D. L. 202)

Original Question put, and agreed to; Lords Amendts. considered, 1555; several agreed to; two disagreed to

Committee appointed, "to draw up Reasons to be assigned to the Lords for disagreeing to two of the Amendts. to which this House hath disagreed;" List of the Committee, 1583

Reasons for disagreeing to the Lords Amendts. reported, and agreed to; to be communicated to the Lords *June* 15

*l.* Returned from the Commons with several of the Amendts. agreed to, and some disagreed to, with Reasons for such disagreement: The said Reasons to be printed; and to be considered on Friday next *June* 16 (No. 135)

Order of the Day for considering the Commons Reasons for disagreeing to some of the Lords Amendts. read *June* 19, 1594; Moved, "That the House do now take the said Reasons into consideration"

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*Parliamentary Elections* (*Redistribution*) *Bill*—cont.

Amendt. to leave out ("now") add ("on Tuesday next") (*The Marquess of Salisbury*); after short debate, on Question, That ("now") &c.; Cont. 56, Not-Cont. 124; M. 68

298] Div. List, Cont. and Not-Cont, 1598

Ordered that the said Reasons be considered on Tuesday next

Moved, "That the House do adjourn until Tuesday next" (*Earl Granville*); Motion agreed to

Moved, "That the Commons' Reasons for disagreeing to some of the Lords Amendts. be now considered" *June* 23, 1608

Amendt. to leave out ("now") add ("this day six months") (*The Lord Denman*); on Question? resolved in the negative

Original Motion agreed to; Commons Reasons considered accordingly

*c.* Message from the Lords—That they do not insist on their Amendts. to the Bill to which this House has disagreed *June* 25

*l.* Royal Assent *June* 25 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 23]

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294] Gladstone *Nov* 24, 280; Observations, Mr. Gladstone, 282; Questions, Lord Randolph Churchill, Sir George Campbell, Sir R. Assheton Cross, Mr. Gorst, Mr. D. Grant, Mr. Borlase, Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett, Mr. Tottenham; Answers, Sir Charles W. Dilke, Mr. Gladstone *Dec* 2, 442; Questions, Mr. Arthur Arnold, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Sir R. Assheton Cross, Dr. Lyons; Answers, Sir Charles W. Dilke *Dec* 3, 556; Questions, Mr. Joseph Cowen, Mr. Serjeant Simon; Answers, Sir Charles W. Dilke
295] *Mar* 16, 1232; Question, Sir Hervey Bruce; Answer, Sir Charles W. Dilke *Mar* 17, 1435; Observations, Sir Charles W. Dilke; Questions, Lord Randolph Churchill, Mr. Gorst, Mr. Ritchie, Mr. Onslow, Mr. Raikes, Mr. Healy; Answers, Sir Charles W. Dilke, Sir
297] Stafford Northcote *April* 24, 663; Question, Mr. Sydney Buxton; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *April* 27, 824

*Central Election Courts, West Donegal*, Questions, Mr. Kenny, Mr. Healy; Answers, Sir Charles W. Dilke *Mar* 9, [295] 438

*Disqualification of Voters—Medical Relief*, Questions, Mr. Alderman Cotton; Answers, The Attorney General *May* 8, [298] 24

*Representation of Minorities*, Questions, Mr. T. P. O'Connor, Mr. Brodrick, Mr. Gibson; Answers, Sir Charles W. Dilke *Mar* 19, [295] 1695

*Representation of the City of London*, Question, Mr. J. G. Hubbard; Answer, Mr. Gladstone *Mar* 20, [296] 55

*The Boundary Commissioners*, Questions, Mr. H. S. Northcote, Mr. H. H. Fowler, Mr. Sclater-Booth; Answers, Sir Charles W. Dilke *Dec* 4, [294] 647;—*Instructions to the*, Questions, Lord George Hamilton, Mr. Newdegate, Mr. Chaplin, Mr. Gorst, Mr. O'Donnell, Sir John Hay, Dr. Cameron, Mr. H. H. Fowler, Mr. Gray; Answers, Sir

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(*Mr. Attorney General, Sir Charles Dilke*)
c. Ordered ; read 1° * *Mar* 18 [Bill 99]
Read 2°, after short debate *Mar* 23, [296] 360
Order for Committee read *July* 13, [299] 573
Moved, " That it be an Instruction to the Committee that they have power to extend the Bill to the Expenses of Returning Officers at Parliamentary Elections in Scotland " (*Sir Farrer Herschell*) ; Question put, and agreed to ; Committee—R.P.
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**Parliamentary Elections (Second Ballot) Bill**
(*Mr. Brett, Mr. John Morley, Mr. Broadhurst*)
c. Ordered ; read 1° * *Mar* 12 [Bill 94]
2R. [Dropped]

**Parliamentary Franchise (Extension to Women) Bill**
(*Mr. Woodall, Mr. Jacob Bright, Mr. Coleridge Kennard, Mr. Stansfeld, Baron Henry De Worms, Mr. Yorke*)
c. Ordered ; read 1° * *Nov* 10 [Bill 32]
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**Parliamentary Franchise (Extension to Women) (No. 2) Bill**
(*Mr. Woodall, Mr. Illingworth, Mr. Coleridge Kennard, Mr. Stansfeld, Mr. Yorke, Baron Henry De Worms*)
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*l.* Read 1ª* (*Lord FitzGerald*) *July* 30 (No. 223)
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### Peasant Proprietary and Acquisition of Land by Occupiers Bill

(*Mr. Jesse Collings, Mr. Robert Reid, Mr. George Palmer, Mr. Burt, Mr. Broadhurst*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1°* *Dec* 1 [Bill 43]
Bill withdrawn *Mar* 13, [295] 1203

### Peasant Proprietary and Acquisition of Land by Occupiers (No. 2) Bill

(*Mr. Jesse Collings, Mr. Robert Reid, Mr. George Palmer, Mr. Burt, Mr. Broadhurst*)

*c.* Ordered * *Mar* 13
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**Pluralities Bill** (*Mr. Acland, Mr. Edward Howard, Sir John Kennaway, Lord Edward Cavendish*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Oct* 29 [Bill 22]
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°"
298] *May* 20, 972; after short debate, Amendt.
to leave out "now," add "upon this day six months" (*Mr. Warton*); Question proposed, "That 'now,' &c.;" after further short debate, Question put, and agreed to
Main Question put, and agreed to; Bill committed to a Select Committee
Moved, "That Mr. Acland be nominated a Member of the Select Committee on the Pluralities Bill" *July* 7, 1943
Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Illingworth*); after short debate, Question put, and negatived; original Question put, and agreed to
Moved, "That Lord Edward Cavendish be nominated one other Member of the Committee;" Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Illingworth*); Question put; A. 7, N. 35; M. 28 (D. L. 213)
Original Question again proposed [House counted out]
Lord Edward Cavendish and Mr. Cropper nominated other Members of the Select
299] Committee *July* 9, 238
Moved, "That Sir Richard Cross be one other Member of the said Committee" (*Mr. Acland*); Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Illingworth*); Question put; A. 9, N. 45; M. 36 (D. L. 219)
Original Question put, and agreed to
Moved, "That Mr. Beresford Hope be one other Member of the said Committee;" Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Illingworth*); after short debate, Question put, and negatived
Original Question put, and agreed to

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*Pluralities Bill*—cont.
Moved, "That Viscount Emlyn be one other Member of the said Committee;" Question put, and agreed to
Moved, "That Mr. Stafford Howard be one other Member of the said Committee;" after short debate, Question put, and agreed to; other Members nominated as follows:—Sir John Kennaway (Chairman), Mr. Hubbard, Mr. Inderwick, Sir John Mowbray, Mr. Richard Paget, Mr. Raikes, Mr. Rylands, and Mr. Wodehouse
*July* 13, Mr. Morgan Lloyd, Mr. Salt *added*
*July* 21, Mr. Caine, Mr. Atkinson *added*
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299] Committee (*on re-comm.*)—R.P. *July* 23, 1734
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Considered *; read 3° *July* 27 [Bill 241]
*l.* Read 1ª * (*The Lord Bishop of London*) *July* 28 (No. 213)
Read 2ª *July* 30, [300] 493
Committee *; Report *Aug* 3
Read 3ª * *Aug* 4
Royal Assent *Aug* 6 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 54]

**Poisons Bill** [H.L.] (*The Lord President*)
*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *Mar* 9 (No. 33)
Read 2ª, after short debate *Mar* 19, [295] 1662
Bill referred to a Select Committee, after short debate *April* 20, [297] 134
*Poisonous Patent Medicines*, Question, Mr. Warton; Answer, The Secretary to the Treasury (Sir Henry Holland) *July* 13, [299] 428

**Polehampton Estates Bill** (*Sir Henry Holland, Mr. Attorney General*)
*c.* Ordered * *July* 7
Read 1° * *July* 8 [Bill 216]
Read 2° *July* 13, [299] 548
Committee *; Report; read 3° *July* 14
*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. of Iddesleigh*) *July* 16 (No. 183)
Read 2ª * *July* 24
Committee *; Report *July* 27
Read 3ª * *July* 28
Royal Assent *July* 31 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 40]

**Police Bill** (*Mr. Henry H. Fowler, Secretary Sir William Harcourt, The Lord Advocate, Mr. Hibbert*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Mar* 24 [Bill 113]
Question, General Alexander; Answer, Sir William Harcourt *May* 19, [298] 944; Question, Sir Henry Selwin-Ibbetson; Answer, The Secretary of State for the Home Department (*Sir R. Assheton Cross*) *July* 7, 1831
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**Police Enfranchisement Extension Bill** (*Mr. Coleridge Kennard, Sir Henry Selwin-Ibbetson, Sir Henry Drummond Wolff, Mr. Cowen, Lord Claud John Hamilton, Mr. Robert Fowler, Mr. Reid, Mr. Houldsworth, Mr. George Elliot*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *July* 8 [Bill 219]

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*Police Enfranchisement Extension Bill*—cont.

Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°"
299] *July* 23, 1731; Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Thorold Rogers*); after short debate, Question put; A. 59, N. 48; M. 11 (D. L. 245)

. Debate resumed *July* 24, 1865; Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Morgan Lloyd*); after short debate, Motion withdrawn

Original Question again proposed; Amendt. to leave out "now," add "upon this day three months" (*Mr. Ramsay*); Question proposed, "That 'now' &c.;" after short debate, Amendt. withdrawn; original Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 2°

Question, Mr. Coleridge Kennard; Answer,
300] Mr. Bryce *July* 31, 674

Order for Committee read; Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair" *Aug* 5, 1251

Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Morgan Lloyd*); it being a quarter of an hour before Six of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned

. Adjourned Debate resumed *Aug* 7, 1523

Moved, "That the Debate be further adjourned till Monday next;" after short debate, Motion agreed to

Bill withdrawn * *Aug* 12

## Pollution of Rivers Bill

(*Mr. Hastings, Earl Percy, Colonel Walrond*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Nov* 13 [Bill 34]

2R. *Nov* 21, [294] 203; after short debate [House counted out]

Bill withdrawn * *April* 29

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*Election of Guardians—Marylebone Union*, Question, Mr. T. P. O'Connor; Answer, Mr. George Russell *May* 8, [298] 28

*Hungerford Board of Guardians—Appointment of Master and Matron for the Workhouse*, Question, Mr. Broadhurst; Answer, The President of the Local Government Board (Mr. A. J. Balfour) *Aug* 4, [300] 1061

*Irish Roman Catholic Children in English Protestant Charitable Institutions—Case of Rose Doyle*, Question, Mr. Dawson; Answer, The Attorney General *May* 15, [298] 621

*Pauper Lunatics—Transference from Asylums to Workhouses*, Question, Mr. Brinton; Answer, The President of the Local Government Board (Mr. A. J. Balfour) *July* 9, [299] 122

*Pauper Married Couples*, Question, Lord George Hamilton; Answer, Mr. George Russell *April* 16, [296] 1842

*Poor Rates—3 & 4 Will. IV. c. 30—Exemption of Chapels, &c. in England and Wales*, Question, Mr. Stanley Leighton; Answer, Mr. George Russell *April* 23, [297] 469

*Poor Rates and Pauperism—The Insane Poor*, Question, Mr. W. J. Corbet; Answer, Sir Charles W. Dilke *Mar* 26, [296] 658

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*Prescot (Lancashire) Union—Appointment of Rate Collector—Mr. Dunn*, Questions, Mr. Biggar; Answers, Mr. George Russell *April* 30, [297] 1120; *May* 4, 1494

*Recipients of Medical Relief only*, Questions, Mr. Salt, Mr. J. G. Talbot; Answers, The President of the Local Government Board (Mr. A. J. Balfour) *July* 14, [299] 653

*Removal of Paupers from Scotland to Ireland—Cases of Ann Magee and Thomas Carlin*, Question, Sir Hervey Bruce; Answer, The Lord of the Treasury (Mr. Dalrymple) *July* 21, [299] 1399

*Roman Catholics in Workhouses—Right of Attending Mass out-doors—The Sheffield Board of Guardians*, Question, Mr. Arthur O'Connor; Answer, Mr. George Russell *Nov* 24, [294] 264

*Small-Pox—Re-vaccination as a Preventive*, Question, Mr. Hopwood; Answer, Mr. George Russell *Mar* 31, [296] 1092

*The Kensington Union Infirmary*, Question, Mr. Dixon-Hartland; Answer, Mr. George Russell *Mar* 9, [295] 446

## Poor Law Guardians (Ireland) Bill

(*Mr. John Redmond, Mr. O'Brien, Mr. Gray, Mr. Barry*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Oct* 24 [Bill 9]

Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°"
293] *Nov* 5, 1026

Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Elton*); after short debate, Question put; A. 130, N. 97; M. 33 (D. L. 8)

. Debate resumed *Nov* 10, 1436; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 2°

. Committee; Report *Nov* 11, 1507

. Considered *Nov* 13, 1707

Moved, "That the Bill be now read 3°;" after short debate, Question put; A. 72, N. 4; M. 68 (D. L. 17); Bill passed

*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord President*) *Nov* 17 (No. 6)

Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2ª" *Nov* 20, [294] 26; after short debate, Motion agreed to; Bill read 2ª

Moved, "That the Bill be referred to a Select Committee" (*The Marquess of Waterford*); after further short debate, Motion agreed to

And, on *Nov* 21, the Lords following were named of the Committee:—L. President, V. Powerscourt, V. Hutchinson, L. Tyrone, L. Saltersford, L. Ker, L. Silchester, L. Shute, L. FitzGerald, L. Monk Bretton, L. de Vesci

*Feb* 23, E. Milltown *added*

*Feb* 24, L. Sudeley *added*

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*c.* Lords Amendts. *July* 23 [Bill 245]

Question, Mr. Healy; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *May* 5, [297] 1646; Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, The Attorney General for Ireland (Mr. Holmes) *Aug* 7, [300] 1454

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*Lords' Amendments*, Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, The Attorney General for Ireland (Mr. Holmes) *Aug* 4, [300] 1063
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*Poor Law Guardians* (*Ireland*) [*Cost of Prosecutions*]
*c.* Res. considered in Committee, and agreed to *July* 28, [300] 383
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**Poor Law Unions' Officers (Ireland) Bill** (*Sir William Hart Dyke, Mr. Attorney General for Ireland*)
*c.* Ordered * *July* 7
Read 1° * *July* 8 [Bill 214]
Read 2° * *July* 15
Order for Committee read; Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair" *July* 16, [299] 1013; after short debate, Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Sexton*); after further short debate, Motion withdrawn; original Question put, and agreed to; Committee—R.P.
Committee—R.P. *July* 20, 1334
Committee; Report *July* 24, 1857
Read 3° * *July* 27
*l.* Read 1ª * (*M. of Waterford*) *July* 28 (No. 214)
Read 2ª *July* 30, [300] 494
Committee *; Report *July* 31
Read 3ª *Aug* 6, 1260 (No. 237)
*c.* Lords Amendt. *Aug* 7 [Bill 262]
Lords' Amendt. considered, and, after short debate, amended, and agreed to *Aug* 12, 1913
*l.* Royal Assent *Aug* 14 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 80]

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*Quarantine at Madeira*, Question, Mr. Creyke; Answer, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *Oct* 28, [293] 350
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POSTMASTER GENERAL (*see* MANNERS, Right Hon. Lord J. J. R.)

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*Letter Sorters on the Irish Packet Boats*, Question, Mr. Harrington; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *Mar* 30, [296] 974
*Political Postmasters*, Question, Mr. Whitley; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *Mar* 26, [296] 664
*Mr. A. Turner, Postmaster at Oakham*, Question, Mr. E. Stanhope; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *April* 9, [296] 1153
*Rural Letter Carriers—Boot and Shoe Money*, Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *May* 1, [297] 1319
*Superintendents of Sorting Offices*, Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, The Postmaster General (Lord John Manners) *Aug* 6, [300] 1274

*Delivery of Letters on Bank Holidays*, Question, Mr. Brodrick; Answer, The Secretary to the Treasury (Sir Henry Holland) *Aug* 13, [301] 13
*Despatch of Sunday Letters*, Question, Mr. Dixon-Hartland; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *Feb* 23, [294] 1039
*Sunday Delivery in the Metropolitan District*, Question, Mr. Small; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *May* 7, [297] 1838
*Irregular Deliveries at West Brompton*, Question, Mr. Biggar; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *Mar* 31, [296] 1087
*Postal Delays*, Question, Colonel Nolan; Answer, The Postmaster General (Lord John Manners) *Aug* 11, [300] 1730

*Folkestone Post Office*, Question, Sir Edward Watkin; Answer, Mr. Herbert Gladstone *April* 30, [297] 1118
*Money Order Office—Promotion*, Question, Mr. Dixon-Hartland; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *Mar* 19, [295] 1687

*Postage Stamps*, Question, Mr. Arthur O'Connor; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *Dec* 4, [294] 618;—*Colour of*, Question, Mr. Dixon-Hartland; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *Mar* 9, [295] 445;—*The Committee on*, Question, Mr. Arthur O'Connor; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *April* 23, [297] 485; Question, Mr. Arthur O'Connor; Answer, The Postmaster General (Lord John Manners) *July* 16, [299] 905
*Post Cards—Purchase of Material from Abroad*, Questions, Mr. Coleridge Kennard; Answers, Mr. Speaker *Oct* 27, [293] 256
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*Annuities and Insurance Tables*, Question, Mr. Rankin; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *May* 5, [297] 1634

*Madagascar*, Question, Mr. A. M'Arthur; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *May* 1, [297] 1321

*North American Postal Service*, Questions, Mr. Giles; Answers, The Postmaster General (Lord John Manners) *July* 9, [299] 122; *Aug* 4, [300] 1045

*Parliamentary Elections—Disabilities of Postmasters*, Question, Mr. Buszard; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *April* 20, [297] 154

*Professor S. P. Thompson's Valve Telephone*, Question, Mr. Kenny; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *May* 1, [297] 1322

*Purchase of Telephones*, Question, Mr. Kenny; Answer, Mr. Fawcett *Oct* 30, [293] 530

*The Inventions Exhibition*, Questions, Mr. Hopwood, Mr. Birkbeck; Answers, Mr. Shaw Lefevre, Mr. Hibbert *May* 15, [298] 612

*Unstamped Letters from Egypt*, Question, Mr. Tomlinson; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *Mar* 9, [295] 443

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*Clothing Contracts*, Question, Mr. W. J. Corbet; Answer, Mr. Brand *April* 13, [296] 1451

*The North American Mails*, Question, Mr. Baxter; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *Mar* 9, [295] 423

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*The Irish Mail Service*, Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *Nov* 6, [293] 1097; Question, Colonel Nolan; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *April* 13, [296] 1458; Question, Mr. Biggar; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *April* 16, 1846; Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, The Postmaster General (Lord John Manners) *Aug* 6, [300] 1272

*The Mail Service to Cyprus—The Peninsular and Oriental Company*, Question, Mr. Marriott; Answer, Mr. Evelyn Ashley *Dec* 4, [294] 632

*Mails*

*Acceleration of Mails to Scotland*, Questions, Mr. Craig-Sellar, Mr. Barran, Mr. Sexton, Mr. Harrington; Answers, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *Feb* 27, [294] 1608

*Acceleration of the Mails to South-West of Scotland and Belfast*, Question, Sir John Hay; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *Mar* 9, [295] 447

*Continental Mails (Yorkshire)*, Questions, Mr. Barran, Mr. Sexton; Answers, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *Mar* 10, [295] 605

*Mails to the Western Islands*, Question, Lord Colin Campbell; Answer, The Postmaster General (Lord John Manners) *Aug* 3, [300] 837; Question, Lord Colin Campbell; Answer, The Secretary to the Treasury (Sir Henry Holland) *Aug* 6, 1269

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*Mail Service in the West of Ireland—The Midland Great Western Railway Company*, Question, Colonel Nolan; Answer, Mr. Fawcett *Oct* 27, [293] 255; Question, Mr. O'Connor Power; Answer, Mr. Fawcett *Oct* 28, 352

*The Irish Mail Service between Dublin and the West*, Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, The Postmaster General (Lord John Manners) *July* 16, [299] 919

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*Insufficient Addresses*, Question, Mr. Alderman W. Lawrence; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *May* 11, [298] 142

*Press Messages*, Question, Mr. Ecroyd; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *Dec* 4, [294] 626

*Registration of Telegraphic Addresses*, Question, Colonel King-Harman; Answer, The Postmaster General (Lord John Manners) *Aug* 7, [300] 1459

*Secrecy of Telegrams*, Questions, Dr. Cameron, Mr. Macfarlane; Answers, Mr. Shaw Lefevre, The Lord Advocate *June* 8, [298] 1402

*Sixpenny Telegrams*, Question, Mr. Ruston; Answer, Mr. Fawcett *Oct* 24, [293] 162; Question, Dr. Cameron; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *Mar* 23, [296] 234; Questions, Dr. Cameron, Mr. Shaw Lefevre, Mr. Puleston; Answers, The Postmaster General (Lord John Manners) *July* 7, [298] 1825; Question, Mr. Alderman Lawrence; Answer, The Postmaster General (Lord John Manners) *Aug* 3, [300] 845

*Telegraphic Communication with the Hebrides*, Question, Lord Colin Campbell; Answer, Sir Thomas Brassey *May* 8, [298] 20

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*Insurance of Parcels*, Question, Sir Robert Fowler; Answer, The Postmaster General (Lord John Manners) *Aug* 3, [300] 821

*Parcel Post Horses*, Notice of Question, Mr. Onslow *Mar* 19, [295] 1709; Question, Mr. Onslow; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *Mar* 20, [296] 50

*Parcel Post to Egypt for Soldiers serving in that Country*, Question, Colonel Makins; Answer, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *Feb* 24, [294] 1162

*Temporary Clerks*, Questions, Mr. Stuart-Wortley; Answers, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *May* 11, [298] 130

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[See title *Post Office (Ireland)*]

*Post Office Mail Contract (Royal Mail Steam Packet Company)*

Moved, "That the Contract with the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, for the conveyance of the Mails to and from the West Indies, be approved" (*Mr. Hibbert*) *April* 30, [297] 1258; after short debate, Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Sexton*); after further short debate, Motion

*Post Office Mail Contract* (*Royal Mail Steam Packet Company*)—cont.
withdrawn; original Question put, and agreed to
The West India Mail Service *P.P.* 131

*Post Office—Postal Service* (*Great Britain and North America*)
Moved, "That a Select Committee be appointed 'to inquire into the conditions of the Postal Service between Great Britain and North America, and to report what alterations should be made with a view to its improvement" (*Mr. Shaw Lefevre*) *Mar* 20, [296] 193; after short debate, Motion agreed to
And, on *May* 20, Committee nominated as follows:—Mr. Baxter (Chairman), Mr. Brodrick, Mr. Deasy, Viscount Emlyn, Mr. William Fowler, Mr. Giles, Mr. Staveley Hill, Mr. Thomas Lea, Mr. Henry Lee, Mr. Shaw Lefevre, Mr. William Lowther, Mr. R. B. Martin, Mr. Northcote, Sir Henry Selwin-Ibbetson, Mr. Sexton, Mr. Slagg, and Mr. Williamson

*Post Office — Telephone and Telegraph Wires*
Moved, "That a Select Committee be appointed to consider the Law relating to the control over Telephone, Telegraph, and other Wires, and that the Committee do consist of Sir Alexander Gordon, Sir James M'Garel-Hogg, Mr. Torrens, Sir Henry Tyler, Mr. Gray, Mr. Firth, Mr. Thomas Dickson, Mr. Tottenham, and Mr. George Russell (Chairman), with power to send for persons, papers, and records: Three to be the quorum" (*Mr. George Russell*) *Mar* 5, [295] 224; after short debate, Motion agreed to
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**Post Office Sites Bill**
(*Mr. Shaw Lefevre, Mr. Hibbert*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Feb* 26 [Bill 72]
Read 2°, and committed to a Select Committee *Mar* 20, [296] 193; short debate thereon
And, on *Mar* 27, Committee nominated as follows:—Mr. Shaw Lefevre (Chairman), Mr. Bryce, Dr. Cameron, Mr. Dillwyn, Mr. Dixon-Hartland, Sir John Ellis, Sir John Lubbock, Mr. Sclater-Booth, Mr. Slagg, Mr. Whitley
*April* 15, Mr. Corry *disch.*; Mr. Deasy *added*
Report of Select Comm * *May* 21 [No. 298]
Order for Committee (*on re-comm*) read; Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair" *June* 4, [298] 1317
Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Dixon-Hartland*); after short debate, Motion agreed to; Debate adjourned
Committee * (*on re-comm*); Report *July* 13
Read 3° * *July* 14 [Bill 193]
*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. of Iddesleigh*) *July* 16 (No. 181)
Read 2ª * *July* 24
Report * *July* 27
Committee *; Report *July* 28
Read 3ª * *July* 30
Royal Assent *July* 31 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 45]

*Post Office Sites* [*Purchase of Land and Expenses*]
*c.* Order for Committee read; Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair" *April* 16, [296] 1962; after short debate [House counted out]
Moved, "That this House will, To-morrow resolve itself into Committee upon Post Office Sites [Purchase of Land and Expenses]" (*Mr. Shaw Lefevre*) *April* 20, [297] 137; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to
Res. considered in Committee, and agreed to *April* 27, 936
Res. reported *April* 28

POWER, Mr. J. O'Connor, *Mayo*
Barristers Admission (Ireland), 2R. [297] 424
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POWER, Mr. P. J., *Waterford Co.*
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*Compensation for Malicious Burning—Case of Patrick Hanley, of Ashbrook, Co. Roscommon*, Question, Mr. O'Kelly; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Nov* 14, [293] 1710
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*Mr. Joseph R. Cox*, Question, Mr. Justin Huntly M'Carthy; Answer, The Solicitor General for Ireland; Question, Mr. Healy [no reply] *Oct* 27, [293] 242
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*Prosecution of Mr. Daniel Ryan, of Doon, Co. Limerick, for Re-entry after Eviction*, Questions, Mr. O'Brien; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *May* 14, [298] 473; *May* 18, 711
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*Resident Magistrates*, Questions, Mr. Sexton; Answers, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *July* 13, [299] 427
*Riot at Oranmore Barracks*, Questions, Colonel Nolan, Mr. Healy; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *May* 4, [297] 1499
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  *Extra Police Tax*
    *Ballickmoyler Petty Sessions*, Questions, Mr. Arthur O'Connor, Mr. O'Brien ; Answers, Mr. Campbell - Bannerman ; Question, Mr. Sexton [no reply] *Nov* 10, [293] 1364
    *Co. Mayo*, Questions, Mr. Kenny, Mr. Sexton ; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Dec* 4, [294] 629
    *Currans, Co. Kerry*, Question, Mr. Sexton ; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Nov* 24, [294] 236
    *Rathclooney, Co. Clare*, Question, Mr. Kenny ; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Nov* 14, [293] 1710 ; Question, Mr. O'Shea ; Answer, Mr. Campbell - Bannerman *Mar* 9, [295] 437
    *Timahoe, Queen's Co*, Questions, Mr. Arthur O'Connor ; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Nov* 6, [293] 1105 ; *Nov* 17, 1829
      [See title *Ireland—Extra Police*]

  *Police Protection*
    *Ballyhaunis, Co. Mayo*, Question, Mr. O'Kelly ; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Nov* 24, [294] 247
    *Bunduff, Co. Leitrim*, Question, Mr. Sexton ; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *Aug* 4, [300] 1038
    *Co. Cavan*, Question, Mr. Biggar; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Nov* 7, [293] 1226
    *Cladymore*, Question, Mr. Small ; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *July* 17, [299] 1064
    *Kilmoon, Co. Clare*, Questions, Mr. Kenny ; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Nov* 24, [294] 244 ; *Dec* 4, 639 ; Question, Mr. Sexton ; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *May* 5, [297] 1637
    *Marlinstown, Mullingar*, Question, Mr. T. D. Sullivan ; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *May* 4, [297] 1495
    *Rev. Francis Dopping, Columbkill, Co. Longford*, Question, Mr. Justin M'Carthy; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *April* 16, [296] 1849
    *Swanlinbar, Co. Cavan*, Question, Mr. Biggar ; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Nov* 24, [294] 251

**Prevention of Crimes Amendment Bill**
  [H.L.] (*The Earl of Milltown*)
*l.* Presented ; read 1ª * *Feb* 24 (No. 20)
  Read 2ª * *Mar* 3
  Committee * ; Report *Mar* 5
  Read 3ª * *Mar* 6
*c.* Read 1° * (*Mr. Tomlinson*) *Mar* 12 [Bill 93]
  Read 2° * *July* 24
  Order for Committee read ; Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair" *July* 27, [300] 210
  Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Hopwood*) ; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to ; Debate adjourned
  Debate resumed *Aug* 11, 1857 ; Committee ; Report ; Considered ; read 3°
*l.* Commons Amendts. *Aug* 12 (No. 249)
  Commons Amendts. considered *Aug* 13, [301] 1 ; One disagreed to

*Prevention of Crimes Amendment Bill*—cont.
  A Committee appointed to prepare Reasons to be offered to the Commons for the Lords disagreeing to the said Amendt. ; the Committee to meet forthwith
  Report from the Committee of the Reasons to be offered to the Commons for the Lords disagreeing to one of the Amendts. made by the Commons to the said Bill ; read, and agreed to ; and a Message sent to the Commons to return the said Bill, with the Amendt. and Reasons
*c.* Lords Reasons considered *Aug* 13, 26 ; Moved, "That this House doth insist on the Amendt. disagreed to by the Lords" (*Mr. Stuart-Wortley*) ; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to
  Committee appointed "to draw up Reasons to be assigned to The Lords for insisting on the Amendt. made by this House to the said Bill, to which the Lords have disagreed ;" List of the Committee, 27
  Said Reasons reported, and agreed to ; To be communicated to the Lords
*l.* Returned from the Commons with the Amendt. to which the Lords have disagreed, insisted on, for which they assign a Reason ; the said Reason considered (on Motion) *Aug* 13, 8
  Moved, "That this House doth agree with the Amendt. on which the Commons have insisted" (*The Earl of Kintore*) ; Motion agreed to
  Royal Assent *Aug* 14 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 75]

PRICE, Captain G. E., *Devonport*
  Criminal Law Amendment, Comm. *cl.* 2, [300] 603, 614, 617, 621 ; *cl.* 3, Amendt. 696, 705, 708 ; *cl.* 4, Amendt. 716, 718, 732, 750 ; *cl.* 5, 776 ; *cl.* 6, Amendt. 785 ; *cl.* 12, 806 ; *add. cl.* 898
  Defences of the Empire—Defence of the Seaports, [300] 59
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PRIME MINISTER (*see* GLADSTONE, Right Hon. W. E.)

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*Prince Henry of Battenberg's Naturalization Bill [Lords]*

*l.* Presented (on petition); read 1ª * *July* 13
Certificate read; petitioner took the Oath *July* 31, [300] 632
The Queen's consent signified by the Lord Chancellor; Bill read 2ª; Report; read 3ª
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 1°" (*Mr. Stuart-Wortley, Under Secretary of State for the Home Department*) *July* 31, 681; Motion agreed to; Bill read 1°
Moved, "That the Standing Orders relating to Naturalization Bills be suspended, and that the Bill be read 2°;" Motion agreed to; Standing Orders suspended; Bill read 2°
Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;" after short debate, Motion agreed to; Committee; Report; read 3°

*Princess Beatrice, H.R.H*

LORDS

298] Message from the Queen *May* 12, 300
Her Majesty's Most Gracious Message considered *May* 15, 569
Moved, "That a humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, thanking Her Majesty for the most gracious communication which it has pleased Her Majesty to make to this House of the intended marriage between Her Royal Highness Princess Beatrice and His Serene Highness Prince Henry of Battenberg, and to assure Her Majesty that this House, always feeling the liveliest interest in any event which can contribute to the happiness of the Royal Family, will concur in the measures which may be proposed for the consideration of the House to enable Her Majesty to make suitable provision for Her Royal Highness" (*Earl Granville*); after short debate, Motion agreed to, *nemine dissentiente*

COMMONS

Message from Her Majesty brought up, and read by Mr. Speaker *May* 12, 348
Moved, "That the said Gracious Message be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Thursday next" (*Mr. Gladstone*); Motion agreed to
Message from Her Majesty considered in Committee *May* 14, 492
Moved, "That the annual sum of Six Thousand Pounds be granted to Her Majesty, out of the Consolidated Fund of Great Britain and Ireland, the said Annuity to be settled on Her Royal Highness Princess Beatrice for Her life, in such manner as Her Majesty shall think proper, and to commence from the date of the Marriage of Her Royal Highness with His Serene Highness Prince Henry of Battenberg" (*Mr. Gladstone*); after debate, Question put; A. 337, N. 38; M. 299 (D. L. 188)

**Princess Beatrice's Annuity Bill**
(*Sir Arthur Otway, Mr. Gladstone, Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Hibbert*)

*c.* Resolution reported; Bill ordered * *May* 18
Read 1° * *May* 19 [Bill 187]

*Princess Beatrice's Annuity Bill*—cont.
Read 2° * *May* 21
Committee *; Report *June* 4
Read 3° * *June* 15
*l.* Read 1ª* (*The Earl Granville*) *June* 17
Read 2ª; Committee negatived; read 3ª *June* 19, [298] 1593 (No. 138)
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*Prisons (England)*

*Convict Prisons — Regulations as to Convicts' Memorials*, Question, Mr. Healy; Answer, Sir William Harcourt *May* 12, [298] 361
*Executions at Lincoln Gaol*, Question, Mr. Ruston; Answer, Mr. H. H. Fowler *Mar* 3, [294] 1892
*Failure of the Execution of John Lee at Exeter* (*the Babbicombe Murder*), Question, Sir R. Assheton Cross; Answer, Sir William Harcourt *Feb* 24, [294] 1155
*Prisoners' Library at Liverpool*, Question, Mr. Justin M'Carthy; Answer, Sir William Harcourt *May* 21, [298] 1029
[See title *Law and Justice* (*England and Wales*)]

**Private Bill Legislation Bill**
(*Mr. Sellar, Mr. Davey, Mr. Raikes, Sir Lyon Playfair*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Oct* 31 [Bill 25]
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" *Feb* 25, [294] 1264
Amendt. to leave out from "That," add "whilst this House is prepared to take such steps as may be needful to strengthen its own Committees sitting on Private Bills, or by arrangement with the other House of Parliament, to refer opposed Private Bills to Committees consisting of Members of both Houses of Parliament, and thus obviate the present cost to promoters and opponents of having to appear before Committees of both Houses of Parliament, it is unwilling to delegate its legislative functions to paid Judges or tribunals" (*Sir Joseph Pease*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after debate, Question put; A. 58, N. 160; M. 102 (D. L. 32)
Question proposed, "That those words be there added;" after short debate, Debate adjourned
Debate resumed *Feb* 26, 1520; Question again proposed, "That those words be there added;" Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Healy*); after short debate, Motion agreed to
Adjourned Debate further adjourned *Mar* 9, [295] 585
Bill withdrawn * *May* 1

**Private Lunatic Asylums (Ireland) Bill**
(*Mr. William Corbet, Mr. Mayne, Mr. Dillwyn, Mr. Dawson, Mr. Richard Power*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Feb* 20 [Bill 60]
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" *April* 22, [297] 430; after short debate, Question put; A. 42, N. 77; M. 35 (D. L. 123)

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PRIVY SEAL, Lord (*see* ROSEBERY, Earl of)

PRIVY SEAL Lord (*see* HARROWBY, Earl of)

*Prosecution of Offences Act*, 1879
Observations, The Earl of Powis ; Reply, The Lord Chancellor (Lord Halsbury) *July* 31, [300] 656

*Public Buildings—Estimated and Actual Cost*
Question, General Sir George Balfour ; Answer, Mr. Hibbert *April* 16, [296] 1844

*Public Departments — The Paymaster General's Department*
Question, Mr. John Redmond ; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *April* 27, [297] 805

*Public Documents—Delay in Printing*
Question, Mr. Broadhurst ; Answer, Mr. Courtney *Nov* 6, [293] 1086

*Public Expenditure*
*The Civil Service — The Select Committee of* 1873, Question, Mr. Arthur O'Connor ; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Nov* 13, [293] 1561
*The late and present Government*, Personal Explanation, Mr. Edward Clarke *Nov* 21, [294] 140
*The Select Committees on*, Questions, Mr. W. H. Smith, Lord George Hamilton ; Answers, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Feb* 24, [294] 1178

*Public Health*
*Cremation*, Questions, Observations, The Earl of Onslow ; Answers, The Earl of Dalhousie *April* 24, [297] 628 ; *May* 5, 1623
*Flackwell Heath Water Supply*, Question, Mr. Sclater-Booth ; Answer, Mr. George Russell *Mar* 13, [295] 1075 *P.P.* [4316]
*Importation of Butterine and Oleomargarine—Reports from Foreign Countries*, Questions, Mr. Moore ; Answers, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *Nov* 17, [293] 1835 *P.P.* [4386]
*Importation of Rags*, Question, Mr. Labouchere ; Answer, Mr. George Russell *Mar* 9, [295] 444
*International Sanitary Conference at Rome*, Question, Mr. Sutherland ; Answer, The Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs (Mr. Bourke) *July* 9, [299] 113
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*Patent Medicines*, Question, Mr. Puleston ; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Mar* 16, [295] 1248
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*Reported Outbreak of Cholera*, Question, Sir Lyon Playfair ; Answer, Sir Charles W. Dilke *May* 21, [298] 1039
*Preventive Measures*, Question, Lord Claud Hamilton ; Answer, The President of the Local Government Board (Mr. A. J. Balfour) *July* 7, [298] 1830
*Protective Inoculation for Cholera*, Question, Dr. Cameron ; Answer, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *May* 8, [298] 20
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*The Cholera in Spain*, Question, Mr. Labouchere ; Answer, The President of the Local Government Board (Mr. A. J. Balfour) *July* 30, [300] 521
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Public Health Acts Amendment (Improvement Expenses) Bill (*Mr. Dodds, Sir Edward Reed, Mr. Arnold Morley*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1°* *Feb* 27 [Bill 76]
2R. [Dropped]

Public Health (Members and Officers) Bill (*Sir John Kennaway, Mr. Long, Mr. Cowen*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *Mar* 25 [Bill 114]
Read 2° *April* 22, [297] 413
Order for Committee read ; Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair" *July* 9, [299] 232

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Original Question again proposed; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to; Committee—R.P.
Committee; Report *July* 14, 783
Considered *; read 3° *July* 20
*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. Brownlow*) *July* 21 (No. 194)
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**Public Health (Metropolis) Bill** [H.L.]
(*The Marquess of Salisbury*)
*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *Aug* 7 (No. 240)

**Public Health (Scotland) Provisional Order Bill** (*The Lord Advocate, Mr. Solicitor General for Scotland*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *May* 21 [Bill 194]
Read 2° * *June* 5
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*l.* Read 1ª * (*Earl of Dalhousie*) *June* 19
Read 2ª * *June* 25 (No. 148)
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Report * *July* 14
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**Public Health (Scotland) Provisional Order (No. 2) Bill** (*The Lord Advocate, Mr. Solicitor General for Scotland*)
*c.* Ordered * *June* 15
Read 1° * *June* 19 [Bill 207]
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*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. Beauchamp*) *July* 17 (No. 188)
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**Public Health (Ships, &c.) Bill**
(*Mr. Arthur Balfour, Mr. Stuart-Wortley*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *July* 10 [Bill 230]
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*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. Brownlow*) *July* 17 (No. 186)
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293] 163; Observations, Question, Lord George Hamilton; Answer, Mr. Chamberlain; short debate thereon *Oct* 27, 261; Personal Explanation, Mr. Newdegate *Oct* 30, 541; Question, Mr. Lewis; Answer, Mr. Chamberlain *Nov* 4, 904; Question, Mr. Onslow; Answer, The Attorney General *Nov* 17, 1834; Question, Lord Randolph Churchill;
294] Answer, The Attorney General *Nov* 20, 64; Questions, Sir Frederick Milner, Mr. Staveley Hill, Mr. Onslow; Answers, Mr. Chamberlain, Mr. Speaker *Feb* 23, 1036; Question, Sir Frederick Milner; Answer, Mr.
295] Chamberlain *Mar* 5, 110; Question, Sir Frederick Milner; Answer, Mr. Speaker, 132; Questions, Sir Frederick Milner; Answers, The Attorney General *Mar* 12, 881
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*Public Offices Site Act*, 1882
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296] Mr. Hibbert *Mar* 31, 1106; Question, The Earl of Wemyss; Answer, The First Lord of the Treasury (the Earl of Iddesleigh) *Aug* 4, [300] 1032
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Moved, "That there be laid before this House, copy of the judgments of the Railway Commission with respect to terminals ; and also of the judgment of the House of Lords in the case of the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company *v.* Gidlow" (*The Lord Henniker*) *Mar* 9, [295] 405 ; after short debate, Motion amended, and agreed to *P.P.* 48

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*Railway and Canal Traffic Regulation Act,* Question, Mr. J. W. Barclay ; Answer, Mr. Chamberlain *April* 30, [297] 1106

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*Terminal Charges,* Question, Mr. Norwood ; Answer, The Secretary to the Board of Trade (Baron Henry De Worms) *Aug* 4, [300] 1049

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*Ramsden Estate Bill [Lords] (by Order)*
*c.* Order for 3R. read *Aug* 4, [300] 1034; Moved, "That the Bill be re-committed in respect to Clause 5" (*Mr. Arthur Arnold*); after short debate, Ordered, That the Bill be read 3° To-morrow
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 3°" (*Sir Charles Forster*) *Aug* 5, 1197
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*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *June* 12 (No. 132)
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*Regent's Canal, City, and Docks Railway Bill* (*by Order*)
*c.* Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" (*Mr. Dodds*) *May* 1, [297] 1286
Amendt. to leave out from "That," add "it is not expedient to pass any Railway Bill which involves the payment of interest out of capital during the construction of works pending the introduction of a public measure on this subject, as recommended by a Committee of this House in 1882, especially where such a Bill practically makes the alteration of the Standing Orders of this House retrospective in their action" (*Sir Joseph Pease*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after debate, Question put; A. 187, N. 117; M. 70 (D. L. 145)
Main Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 2°
*l.* Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2ª" *July* 7, [298] 1792
Moved, "That Standing Order No. 128 (which prohibits the payment of interest out of capital) be dispensed with" (*The Earl of Ravensworth*); after short debate, on Question? Cont. 46, Not-Cont. 37; M. 9; resolved in the affirmative
Bill read 2ª, and committed; The Committee to be proposed by the Committee of Selection
Moved, "That Standing Order No. 93. be considered in order to its being dispensed with in respect of a Petition of the Metropolitan Railway Company praying to be heard by counsel against the Bill" (*The*

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*Regent's Canal, City, and Docks Railway Bill*—cont.
*Lord Balfour) July* 10, [299] 244 ; after short debate, Motion agreed to; Leave given to present the said Petition

*Registration Acts Consolidation—Legislation*
Questions, Mr. E. Stanhope, Sir R. Assheton Cross; Answers, The Attorney General *Mar* 19, [295] 1690

**Registration Appeals (Ireland) Bill** [H.L.]
(*The Earl Beauchamp*)
*l.* Presented; read 1ª* *Aug* 3 (No. 226)
Read 2ª*; Committee negatived; read 3ª *Aug* 4
*c.* Read 1°* *Aug* 4 [Bill 259]
Read 2°* *Aug* 5
Committee; Report; read 3° *Aug* 7, [300] 1522
*l.* Royal Assent *Aug* 14 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 66]

*Registration (Occupation Voters) Act*
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**Registration (Occupation Voters) Bill**
(*Mr. Attorney General, Sir Charles Dilke, Mr. Hibbert, Mr. Henry H. Fowler*)
*c.* Motion for Leave (*Mr. Attorney General*) *Feb* 20, [294] 1000; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to; Bill ordered; read 1°* [Bill 63]
Questions, Mr. Healy, Mr. Dawson; Answers, The Attorney General; Question, Mr. Callan [no reply]; Question, Mr. Craig Sellar; Answer, The Lord Advocate *Mar* 5, [295] 132
Read 2°, and referred to a Select Committee, after short debate *Mar* 13, 1202
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*Registration Expenses*, Question, Sir Massey Lopes; Answer, The Attorney General
297] *April* 17, 15
Report of Select Comm. * *April* 24 [No. 162]
Order for Committee (*on re-comm.*) read [First Night]; Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair" *May* 5, 1654
Amendt. to leave out from "That," add "this House, while desirous of facilitating in every way the Registration of Voters, is of opinion that, inasmuch as the preparation of the Register for Parliamentary Elections is a matter of National rather than local concern, the expenses connected therewith should not be imposed on ratepayers in counties and boroughs, and levied in respect of the occupation of a single description of property" (*Sir Massey Lopes*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after long debate, Question put; A. 240, N. 237; M. 3
Division List, Ayes and Noes, 1721

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*Registration (Occupation Voters) Bill*—cont.
Main Question put, and agreed to; Committee—R.P. [Bill 140]
Committee (*on re-comm.*) [Second Night]—R.P.
297] *May* 6, 1735
Committee (*on re-comm.*) [Third Night]—Report *May* 7, 1944 [Bill 163]
Order for Consideration, as amended, read
298] *May* 12, 367
Moved, "That the Bill be re-committed for the purpose of receiving a Clause providing for the repeal of so much of any Act or Acts relating to Parliamentary Registration in Counties and Boroughs as makes the expenses of Overseers of the Poor and Clerks of the Peace or Town Clerks a legal charge upon the Local Rates" (*Sir Massey Lopes*); after debate, Question put; A. 258, N. 280; M. 22 (D. L. 180)
Bill considered, 387; after long debate, Moved, "That the Bill be now read 3°;" Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 3°
*l.* Read 1ª* (*The Lord Chancellor*) *May* 15
Read 2ª* *May* 18 (No. 111)
Committee *May* 19, 889
Report*; read 3ª *May* 20 (No. 120)
*c.* Lords Amendts. considered, and agreed to *May* 20, 952
*l.* Royal Assent *May* 21 [48 *Vict.* c. 15]

*Registration (Occupation Voters)—Medical Relief—Mr. Chamberlain*
Questions, Sir Frederick Milner, Mr. Gibson, Mr. A. J. Balfour, Mr. Ritchie; Answers, Mr. Chamberlain, Mr. Speaker, Mr. Gladstone, Lord Richard Grosvenor *June* 8, [298] 1408

*Registration of Voters*
*Alleged Misconduct of Overseers*, Question, Mr. Thorold Rogers; Answer, The President of the Local Government Board (Mr. A. J. Balfour) *July* 28, [300] 246
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*Registration of Voters in Agricultural Districts*, Questions, Mr. Picton, Mr. Jesse Collings; Answers, The President of the Local Government Board (Mr. A. J. Balfour), The Secretary of State for the Home Department (Sir R. Assheton Cross) *Aug* 10, [300] 1568
*Return of Occupiers* (*England and Wales*), Question, Mr. Woodall; Answer, The Under Secretary of State for the Home Department (Mr. Stuart-Wortley) *Aug* 4, [300] 1051
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*List of Voters—Willesden*, Question, Mr. George Russell; Answer, The President of the Local Government Board (Mr. A. J. Balfour) *Aug* 11, [300] 1631

*Registration of Voters Bills*
Questions, Mr. Gregory; Answers, Mr. Gladstone; short debate thereon *May* 1, [297] 1324; Questions, Mr. Healy, Lord John Manners, Colonel Nolan, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Mr. Gorst, Sir George Campbell, Mr. Gibson; Answers, Sir Charles W. Dilke, The Lord Advocate, The Solicitor General for Ireland *May* 4, 1512
*Registration Expenses—Relief as to Boroughs*, Question, Sir Massey Lopes; Answer, Sir Charles W. Dilke *May* 4, [297] 1517

*Registration of Voters (Ireland) Bill*
Questions, Mr. Sexton, Mr. Harrington; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Mar* 31,
296] 1090; Question, Mr. Lewis; Answer, Mr.
297] Campbell-Bannerman *April* 21, 307; Question, Mr. Healy; Answer, Mr. Gladstone
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. *April* 28, 971; Question, Mr. Brodrick; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer
. *April* 30, 1120; Questions, Mr. Healy, Mr. Sexton; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman
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**Registration of Voters (Ireland) Bill**
(*Mr. Campbell-Bannerman, Mr. Solicitor General for Ireland*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Mar* 23 [Bill 110]
Read 2°, after short debate *April* 22, [297] 393
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Committee; Report *May* 1, 1328
Order for Consideration, as amended, read *May* 13, [298] 441
After short debate, Moved, "That the Bill be re-committed with respect to new Clauses regarding temporary provision for remuneration of local officials, and contribution to cost of registration in borough of Dublin by townships of Pembroke and Blackrock" (*Mr. Campbell-Bannerman*); Motion withdrawn; Bill considered; after debate, Debate adjourned
Debate resumed *May* 14, 512; after long debate, Bill re-committed; Committee, 562; after further short debate, Report; Considered; read 3° [Bill 150]
*l.* Read 1ª * (*The Lord President*) *May* 15
Read 2ª * *May* 18 (No. 116)
Committee *May* 19, 905
Report *; read 3ª *May* 20 (No. 122)
*c.* Lords Amendts. considered, and agreed to *May* 20
*l.* Royal Assent *May* 21 [48 *Vict.* c. 17]

*Registration of Voters (Ireland) [Payment of Additional Barristers]*
*c.* Res. considered in Committee, and agreed to *April* 27, [297] 937
Res. reported *April* 28

*Registration of Voters (Ireland) [Remuneration of Officers]*
*c.* Res. considered in Committee, and agreed to *May* 4, [297] 1620
Res. reported *May* 5

**Registration of Voters (Scotland) Bill**
(*The Lord Advocate, Mr. Solicitor General for Scotland*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *April* 20 [Bill 132]
297] Read 2°, after short debate *April* 22, 396
. Committee—R.P. *April* 23, 598
. Committee; Report *May* 1, 1421
. Considered *May* 7, 1967 [Bill 151]
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 3°"
298] *May* 12, 434
Amendt. to leave out "now read 3°," add "re-committed" (*Mr. Henderson*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That 'now read 3°' &c.;" after short debate, Amendt. withdrawn
Original Question again proposed; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 3°
*l.* Read 1ª * (*The Earl of Rosebery*) *May* 15
Read 2ª * *May* 18 (No. 112)
. Committee; after short debate *May* 19, 903
Report *; read 3ª *May* 20 (No. 121)
*c.* Lords Amendts. considered, and agreed to *May* 20, [298] 970
*l.* Royal Assent *May* 21 [48 *Vict.* c. 16]

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*Relief of Distress (Ireland) Act*
*Advance to the Clare and Banagher Railway*, Question, Mr. Molloy; Answer, The Secretary to the Treasury (Sir Henry Holland) *Aug* 13, [301] 24
*Loans to Landlords for Public Works in Co. Donegal*, Question, Mr. O'Brien; Answer, Mr. Hibbert *Mar* 30, [296] 989; Questions, Mr. O'Brien; Answers, The Secretary to the Treasury (Sir Henry Holland) *Aug* 3, [300] 830;—*Raymunterdoney*, Question, Mr. O'Brien; Answer, The Chief Secretary for Ireland (Sir W. Hart Dyke) *July* 9, [299] 122
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*The Boundary Commission* (*Scotland*)—*Instructions to the Commissioners*, Question, Mr. John Hamilton; Answer, The Lord Advocate *Mar* 24, [296] 378

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*Admission of Soldiers to the Franchise*, Question, Mr. Leahy; Answer, The Solicitor General for Ireland *May* 1, [297] 1321

*Disfranchisement of the Carrickfergus Freemen*, Question, Mr. Sinclair; Answer, The Attorney General for Ireland (Mr. Holmes) *July* 17, [299] 1058

*Duties of Boards of Guardians*, Questions, Mr. O'Brien, Mr. Healy; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *May* 12, [298] 350;—*Clones Union, Co. Monaghan*, Questions, Mr. Healy, Mr. Harrington; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *May* 12, [298] 359

*Duties of the Collector General of Rates, Dublin*, Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, The Solicitor General for Ireland *May* 18, [298] 713

*Duties of Overseers*, Questions, Mr. Jesse Collings, Mr. Finch-Hatton; Answers, The Attorney General *May* 15, [298] 615

*Election Expenses*, Question, Mr. J. R. Yorke; Answer, The Secretary of State for the Home Department (Sir R. Assheton Cross) *July* 20, [299] 1207

*Household Qualifications*, Question, Sir Alexander Gordon; Answer, The Lord Advocate *April* 24, [297] 656

*Instructions to Clerks of Unions and Rate Collectors in Ireland*, Questions, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Kenny; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Mar* 12, [295] 880; Questions, Mr. Harrington, Mr. Healy; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *May* 11, [298] 143

*Police Enfranchisement*, Question, Mr. Coleridge Kennard; Answer, Mr. Speaker; Personal Explanation, Sir Henry James *Aug* 7, [300] 1459

*Registration of Electors*, Questions, Mr. Healy; Answers, The Solicitor General for Ireland *Mar* 13, [295] 1066

*Registration of Voters* (*Ireland*), Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Feb* 23, [294] 1026; Question, Mr. Healy; Answer, The Solicitor General for Ireland *April* 13, [296] 1459

*Returns under the Act*, Question, Mr. W. H. Smith; Answer, The Attorney General *May* 7, [297] 1829

*The Electoral Acts—Distribution*, Question, Sir Henry James; Answer, The Secretary of State for the Home Department (Sir R. Assheton Cross *Aug* 11, [300] 1741

*The Parliamentary Franchise* (*Scotland*) — *Crofters under £10 Rental*, Question, Mr. D. J. Jenkins; Answer, The Secretary of State for the Home Department (Sir R. Assheton Cross) *July* 30, [300] 505

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*Undergraduate Occupiers*, Question, Mr. Marum; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *July* 14, [299] 654

## Representation of the People Bill

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c. Notices, Mr. Gladstone, Mr. Tomlinson, Sir John Lubbock, Mr. Labouchere, Sir John
293] Hay, Mr. Mac Iver *Oct* 23, 56

. Motion for Leave (*Mr. Gladstone*) *Oct* 24, 238; after short debate, Motion agreed to; Bill ordered; read 1° * [Bill 1]

Moved, "That the consideration of the second reading of the Representation of the People Bill be postponed until To-morrow" (*Mr. Gladstone*) *Oct* 30, 513; Motion agreed to

Moved, "That the several stages of any Bill relating to the Representation of the People have precedence of all Orders of the Day, except any further proceedings on the Address, and Notices of Motions, on every day for which they may be set down by the Government" (*Mr. Gladstone*) *Nov* 5, 988

Amendt., after "precedence," insert "except on Wednesdays" (*Admiral Sir John Hay*); Question proposed, "That those words be there inserted;" after short debate, Amendt. withdrawn

Amendt., after "precedence," insert "during the month of November" (*Mr. Gladstone*), 994; Question proposed, "That those words be there inserted;" after short debate, Question put, and agreed to

Amendt., after "Motions," insert "except Notices of Motion relating to schemes under the provisions of 'The Endowed Schools Act, 1869," and amending Acts" (*Mr. Warton*), 995; Question proposed, "That those words be there inserted;" after short debate, Question put, and negatived

Main Question, as amended, put, and agreed to

Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" *Nov* 6, 1121

Amendt. to leave out from "That," add "in the opinion of this House, any measure purporting to provide for the better Representation of the People in Parliament must be accompanied by provisions for a proper arrangement of electoral areas" (*Mr. E. Stanhope*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after long debate, Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Sir R. Assheton Cross*); Motion agreed to

. Debate resumed *Nov* 7, 1227; after long debate, Question put; A. 372, N. 232; M. 140

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Main Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 2° Committee; Report, after short debate *Nov* 10, 1387

Moved, "That the Bill be now read 3°" *Nov* 11, 1463

After debate, Amendt. to leave out "now read 3°," insert "re-committed" (*Mr. Parnell*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after further short debate, Amendt, withdrawn

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*l.* Read 1ª* (*Earl of Kimberley*) *Nov* 13 (No. 5)
294] Read 2ª, after short debate *Nov* 18, 1
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*The Redistribution Scheme*, Questions, Mr. Labouchere, Mr. A. J. Balfour, Mr. Causton, Sir Wilfrid Lawson, Mr. T. P. O'Connor; Answers, Mr. Gladstone *Nov* 20, [294] 65
*Surreptitious Publication*, Question, Mr. Labouchere; Answer, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *Nov* 20, [294] 63

**Representation of the People (Consolidation) Bill** (*Mr. Hardcastle, Sir Alexander Gordon*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1°* *May* 6 [Bill 160]
2R. [Dropped]

REPTON, Mr. G. W. J., *Warwick*
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**Returning Officers' Expenses Bill**
(*Mr. Sydney Buxton, Mr. Stafford Howard, Mr. Arthur Elliot, Mr. Picton*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1°* *Oct* 24 [Bill 13]
2R. [Dropped]

**Revising Barristers Bill** (*Mr. Attorney General, Secretary Sir R. Assheton Cross*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1°* *July* 21 [Bill 237]
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" *July* 23, [299] 1730
Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Morgan Lloyd*); after short debate, Motion withdrawn
Original Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 2°
Committee*; Report *July* 29
Considered*; read 3° *July* 30
*l.* Read 1ª* (*Lord Chancellor*) *July* 31 (No. 225)
Read 2ª*; Committee negatived; read 3ª *Aug* 5
Royal Assent *Aug* 6 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 57]

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*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Feb* 25 [Bill 71]
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*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Mar* 9 [Bill 90]
Read 2° *, and referred to a Select Committee; Four to be nominated by the House, and Three by the Committee of Selection *May* 20
And, on *May* 21, Committee nominated as follows:—Sir Michael Hicks-Beach (Chairman), Mr. Elton, Mr. Gibson, Mr. James Walter, Mr. Edward Leatham, Mr. Story-Maskelyne, Mr. Norwood
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Moved, "That the Bill be now read 3ª" *Aug* 6, 1260; after short debate, Moved, "That the Debate be adjourned till Monday next" (*The Lord Chancellor*); Motion agreed to
Read 3ª *Aug* 10, 1525 (No. 238)
*c.* Lords Amendts. *Aug* 10 [Bill 263]
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*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *Feb* 23 (No. 18)
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2ª" *Mar* 17, [295] 1407
Amendt., to leave out all after ("That,") insert ("this House deems it unnecessary to pass this Bill, awaiting a measure being introduced dealing with the whole matter of church patronage") (*The Lord Oranmore and Browne*); after short debate, Amendt., original Motion, and Bill withdrawn

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**Royal Irish Constabulary Redistribution Bill** (*Mr. Campbell-Bannerman, Mr. Solicitor General for Ireland*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1°* *Mar* 20 [Bill 105]
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*l.* Read 1ª* (*Lord President*) *April* 20 (No. 75)
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*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Oct* 24 [Bill 8]
2R. [Dropped]

**Sale of Intoxicating Liquors on Sunday (No. 2) Bill** (*Sir Joseph Pease, Earl Percy, Mr. Tremayne, Mr. Charles Palmer*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Feb* 26 [Bill 74]
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" *April* 22, [297] 398
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**Sale of Intoxicating Liquors on Sunday (Cornwall) Bill** (*Mr. Arthur Vivian, Sir John St. Aubyn, Mr. Borlase, Mr. Acland*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Nov* 6 [Bill 30]
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**Sale of Intoxicating Liquors on Sunday (Durham) Bill** (*Mr. Theodore Fry, Mr. Walter James, Mr. Lambton, Mr. Dodds, Mr. Thomas Richardson, Mr. Gourley, Mr. Thomas Thompson*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Nov* 6 [Bill 29]
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- River Thames (No. 2), 3R. [300] 1261
- Secretary for Scotland, 2R. [299] 100, 102; Report, 898; 3R. 1376, 1380
- Submarine Telegraph Cables, Report, [299] 1774
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- Question, Mr. Healy; Answer, Lord Richard Grosvenor *Mar* 2, [294] 1877
- *Nomination of Committee*, Question, Mr. Richard Power; Answer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Mar* 3, [294] 1900

**Salmon (Weekly Close Time) (Ireland) Bill** (*Mr. Healy, Mr. Leamy, Sir Joseph M'Kenna, Mr. O'Shea, Mr. Barry*)
c. Ordered; read 1°* *Oct* 24 [Bill 17]

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*Salmon* (*Weekly Close Time*) (*Ireland*) *Bill*—cont.
- Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2°" *Nov* 11, [293] 1504; after short debate, Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Sexton*); after further short debate, Motion agreed to
- Adjourned Debate on 2R. [Dropped]

SALT, Mr. T., *Stafford*
- Africa (South) — Transvaal (Finance, &c.), [297] 1100
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- Asia (Central) — Afghanistan—Arrangements with the Ameer, [298] 712
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- Defences of the Empire — Coaling Stations, [299] 1777
- Destitute Children (Compulsory Industrial Training), Res. [299] 321
- Elementary Education Act, 1876—Payment of School Fees, [293] 1709
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- Poor Law (England and Wales)—Recipients of Medical Relief only, [299] 653
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  - Vote of Credit, [298] 1015
- Ways and Means—Financial Statement, Comm. [297] 1185

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- Education Department—Technical Education, [295] 1237
- Egypt (Soudan) — Military Operations — Suakin-Berber Railway, [297] 1832
- Parliament—Private Business—Railway Rates and Charges Bills, [294] 909; [295] 437, 1073;—North-Eastern Railway Company's Bill, [297] 652
- Parliamentary Elections—Fixing of Polling Places, [299] 434
- Parliamentary Elections (Redistribution), Comm. Schedule 7, Amendt. [296] 1747, 1748, 1749

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- Treaty of Berlin—Article X — Varna and Rustchuk Railway, [300] 1434

*Scarborough, Bridlington, and West Riding Junction Railways Bill* (*by Order*)
c. Read 2°, after short debate *Mar* 3, [294] 1884

*School Board Elections* (*Voting*)
Moved, "That a Select Committee be appointed to inquire into and Report on the best mode of Voting in School Board Elections" (*Sir John Lubbock*) *Mar* 24, [296] 517; after short debate, Motion agreed to
Moved, "That the Select Committee on School Board Elections (Voting) be nominated" (*Sir John Lubbock*) *April* 20, [297] 281; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to
Moved, "That the Committee do consist of Twenty-one Members" (*Sir John Lubbock*); Question put, and agreed to
Committee nominated as follows:—Mr. William Edward Forster (Chairman), Mr. Arthur Balfour, Mr. Biggar, Mr. Blennerhassett, Mr. Cochran-Patrick, Mr. Courtney, Viscount Crichton, Mr. Cubitt, Viscount Folkestone, Lord George Hamilton, Mr. Houldsworth, Mr. Illingworth, Sir John Lubbock, Sir Herbert Maxwell, Mr. Mundella, Mr. Noel, Mr. John O'Connor, Mr. Picton, Mr. Ritchie, Mr. Samuel Smith, and Mr. Lyulph Stanley
*April* 23, Mr. John Morley and Mr. Gorst added; short debate thereon, 600
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**School Boards Bill**
(*Mr. Stanhope, Mr. Arthur Balfour*)
c. Ordered; read 1° * *July* 15 [Bill 235]
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Read 3° * *July* 22
l. Read 1ª * (*Lord President*) *July* 23 (No. 200)
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*The Western Islands and Highlands*, Question, Mr. Craig-Sellar; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Dec* 4, [294] 622

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*Administration of Justice in the Highlands and Islands*, Observations, Dr. Cameron; short debate thereon *July* 10, [299] 328

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*Procurators Fiscal—Administration of Justice*, Observations, Mr. J. W. Barclay, Dr. Farquharson, Mr. J. B. Balfour; Reply, The Secretary of State for the Home Department (Sir R. Assheton Cross) *July* 24, [299] 1800;—*The Disturbances in the Hebrides*, Questions, Mr. J. W. Barclay, Dr. Cameron, Mr. Macfarlane; Answers, The Lord Advocate, Mr. Gladstone *Nov* 10, [293] 1382

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*Work of the Court of Session*, Question, Dr. Cameron; Answer, The Lord Advocate *May* 5, [297] 1628;—*Office of Auditor of the Court of Session*, Question, Dr. Cameron; Answer, The Lord Advocate *June* 8, [298] 1396

*The Magistracy* (*Scotland*)

*Commission of the Peace, Dumfries Borough and County*, Question, Mr. Ernest Noel; Answer, The Lord Advocate *Mar* 27, [296] 837

*Mr. William Ivory, Sheriff of Inverness-shire*, Questions, Mr. Fraser-Mackintosh; Answers, The Lord Advocate *Mar* 3, [294] 1886; Questions, Mr. Sexton, Mr. Macfarlane; Answers, The Lord Advocate *Mar* 19, [295] 1685

*The "Scotsman" and the Report of Sheriff Ivory*, Question, Dr. Cameron; Answer, The Lord Advocate *Mar* 3, [294] 1888

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*Parliamentary Elections—Fees of Returning Officers*, Question, Sir Herbert Maxwell; Answer, The Lord Advocate *April* 20, [297] 149

*The Register of Parliamentary Voters — The Printing*, Question, Mr. Preston Bruce; Answer, The Lord Advocate *May* 11, [298] 139

*Redistribution of Seats—Boroughs and Burghs*, Observations, Sir George Campbell *Mar* 6, [295] 296

### *Scotland—Crofters and Cottars*

Amendt. on Committee of Supply *Nov* 14, To leave out from "That," add "in the opinion of this House, it is the duty of Her Majesty's Government to give effect to the recommendations of the Royal Commission upon the condition of the crofters and cottars in the Highlands and Islands of Scotland, or to apply such other remedies as they deem advisable; and that this House concurs in the opinion expressed by the Royal Commission at page 110 of its Report, that 'The mere vindication of authority and repression of resistance would not establish the relations of mutual confidence between landlord and tenant, in the absence of which the country would not be truly at peace, and all our inquiries and counsels would be expended in vain'" (*Mr. Macfarlane*) v., [293] 1731; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after long debate, Question put, and negatived; words added; main Question, as amended, put, and agreed to

### *Scotland—Educational Endowment Commission—Heriot's Hospital*

Questions, Mr. Buchanan; Answers, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *July* 16, [299] 915

Moved, "That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty praying Her Majesty to

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*Scotland—Educational Endowment Commission—Heriot's Hospital*—cont.
withhold Her consent to the Scheme of the Educational Endowment (Scotland) Commission now lying upon the Table of the House, for the management of the Endowments of Heriot's Hospital" (*Mr. Buchanan*) *July* 23, 1734; after debate, Question put; A. 15, N. 49; M. 34 (D. L. 246)
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Scott, Mr. M. D., *Sussex, E.*
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**Scottish and Irish Peerages Bill** [H.L.]
(*The Lord Waveney*)
*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *Nov* 24 (No. 10)
2R. discharged * *Dec* 6
Bill withdrawn *Aug* 3, [300] 812

*Sea Coast Fisheries—Fishing Vessels—Trawlers' Lights*
Question, Mr. Birkbeck; Answer, Mr. Chamberlain *May* 15, [298] 632

**Sea Fisheries (Scotland) Amendment Bill** [H.L.] (*The Earl of Dalhousie*)
*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *May* 5 (No. 102)
Read 2ª, after debate *May* 21, [298] 987
Committee *July* 20, [299] 1164
Report * *July* 21 (No. 192)
Read 3ª * *July* 23
*c.* Read 1º * *July* 24 [Bill 250]
Read 2º, after debate *July* 27, [300] 208
Committee *—R.P. *July* 29
Committee deferred *Aug* 3, 983; short debate thereon
Committee; Report *Aug* 4, 1173
Considered; read 3º, after short debate *Aug* 7, 1509 [Bill 258]
*l.* Commons Amendts. *Aug* 10 (No. 243)
Commons' Amendts. considered, and, after short debate, agreed to *Aug* 11, 1716
Royal Assent *Aug* 14 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 70]

*Secretary for Scotland Bill*
Questions, Sir George Campbell; Answers, Sir William Harcourt *April* 27, [297] 806; *May* 8, [298] 20; Observation, The Earl of Rosebery *July* 6, 1670; Question, Sir George Campbell; Answer, The Chancellor of the

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*Secretary for Scotland Bill*—cont.
Exchequer *July* 28, [300] 248; Question, Mr. Buchanan; Answer, The Secretary of State for the Home Department (Sir R. Assheton Cross) *July* 30, 522

**Secretary for Scotland Bill** [H.L.]
(*The Earl of Rosebery*)
*l.* Presented; read 1ª *May* 15, [298] 567 (No. 117)
299] Read 2ª, after debate *July* 9, 86
. Committee *July* 14, 586
. Report, after short debate *July* 16, 897
. Read 3ª *July* 21, 1371 (No. 178)
On Question, "That the Bill do pass?"
Amendt. in Title, page 1, leave out ("Vice") before ("President") (*The Earl of Minto*); after debate, Amendt. withdrawn; Bill passed
*c.* Read 1º * (*Sir R. A. Cross*) *July* 22 [Bill 242]
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2º" *July* 24, 1860; Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Sir Lyon Playfair*); after short debate, Motion withdrawn; original Question put, and agreed to; Bill read 2º
Order for Committee read; Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair" *Aug* 3,
300] 922
Amendt. to leave out from "That," add "in view of the Report of a Select Committee of last Session, recommending that there should be one responsible Minister of Education for Great Britain, it is not expedient, before this House has considered that Report, to proceed with the proposal of this Bill, that the charge of Scotch Education should be removed from the Vice President of the Council, thus lessening his influence and responsibility, in order to transfer it to the Secretary for Scotland intended to be created by this Bill" (*Sir Lyon Playfair*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after debate, Amendt. withdrawn; main Question put, and agreed to; Committee—R.P.
. Committee; Report *Aug* 4, 1125
Considered *; read 3º *Aug* 5
*l.* Commons Amendts. *Aug* 6 (No. 236)
Royal Assent *Aug* 14 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 61]

*Secretary for Scotland* [*Salaries*]
*c.* Res. considered in Committee, and agreed to *July* 28, [300] 383
Order for Report thereupon read *July* 29, 473
Resolution re-committed; considered in Committee; Resolution agreed to
Resolution reported *July* 30

Seely, Colonel C., *Nottingham*
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*c.* Read $1^{o}$ * (*Mr. P. Martin*) *May* 4 [Bill 156]
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***South-Eastern and London, Chatham, and Dover Railway Companies (Arbitration) Bill***
*l.* Moved, " That the Bill be re-committed to the same Select Committee to whom the said Bill was committed " (*The Earl of Milltown*) *May* 18, [298] 650 ; after short debate, resolved in the negative

***South Kensington Museum***
*Loan Department*, Question, Mr. Coope ; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Nov* 13, [293] 1585
*The Intended Exhibition of Inventions*, Question, Mr. Coleridge Kennard ; Answer, Mr. Chamberlain *Oct* 31, [293] 660
[See title *Literature, Science, and Art*]

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*South Pacific, Islands of the—The Society Islands*

Questions, Mr. Gorst; Answers, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *Mar* 16, [295] 1234
[See title *Western Pacific, Islands of the*]

*Southwark and Vauxhall Water Bill [Lords] (by Order)*

*c.* Moved, "That, in the case of the Southwark and Vauxhall Water Bill [*Lords*], Standing Order 235 be suspended, and that the Bill be now read a second time" (*Sir Charles Forster*) *July* 21, [299] 1381; after debate, Question put; A. 71, N. 119; M. 48 (D. L. 235)

Moved, "That, in the case of the Southwark and Vauxhall Water Bill [*Lords*], Standing Order 204 be dispensed with" (*Sir Charles Forster*) *July* 23, 1610; after short debate, Question put; A. 76, N. 53; M. 23 (D. L. 240)

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SPEAKER, The (Right Hon. ARTHUR WELLESLEY PEEL), *Warwick*

*MESSAGES FROM THE CROWN*

Order—Mr. Childers: I have always understood that the Rule is that when a Member appears at the Bar and informs the Speaker that he has a Message from Her Majesty to this House, signed by herself, he is desired to bring it up, and the Message is brought up to the Chair, and read by the Speaker, all Members being uncovered; and their being uncovered is recorded in the Votes and on the Journals. In all other cases of Royal Messages, we are not, I understand, expected to remove our hats—Mr. Speaker: I have to say that the right hon. Gentleman has correctly drawn the distinction between Messages direct from the Crown under the Sign Manual and read from the Chair, and Messages in Answer to Addresses from this House, [293] 260

*The Serjeant-at-Arms*

Mr. Speaker acquaints the House that he has received a letter from Mr. Gosset, the Serjeant-at-Arms, proposing to resign his office, and reads it to the House, [299] 1213
[See title *Parliament—Serjeant-at-Arms*]

*PRIVILEGE*

Mr. Speaker communicates to the House a letter from Mr. Bradlaugh, the Member for Northampton—and states the course he had taken thereon, [298] 1600; Motion to reaffirm the Resolutions of 11th February, 1884—Proceedings thereon, 1676, 1677, 1699

Sir Henry Drummond Wolff desired to appeal to the Speaker on a question of Privilege. In a Return to this House, presented by the Board of Trade, it was stated that Mr. Mac Iver, M.P., for Birkenhead, was the owner of the ship *Stromboli*; whereas he was not such owner. The President of the Board of Trade refuses to withdraw a statement which is false—Mr. Speaker: The hon. Member for Portsmouth appeals to me on a question of Privilege; but I am bound to say that it is not at all clear that this is a question of Privilege. It appears that what was stated by the right hon. Gentleman was not stated in his capacity as a Member of this House. Therefore, it is not for me to interfere on the ground of Privilege, [294] 123, 126

*THE NEW RULES OF PROCEDURE*

Rule 1 (Putting the Question)—Mr. Speaker: Order! Order! It is my duty to inform the House that I consider that this subject has been adequately discussed; and I think it is the evident sense of the House that the Question should be put—After much interruption Mr. Speaker put the Question, [294] 1186
[See *Parliament—New Rules of Procedure*]

Rule 2 (Motions for Adjournment before Public Business)—Sir Herbert Maxwell having moved the Adjournment of the House—matter, the Bengal Tenancy Bill—and the pleasure of the House not having been signified—Mr. Speaker called upon those Members who

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supported the Motion to rise in their places; and not less than 40 Members having risen in their places, Sir Herbert Maxwell proceeded, [295] 628

Mr. Broadhurst having moved the Adjournment of the House—matter, the Composition of the Commission on Depression of Trade and Industry—and the pleasure of the House not having been signified—Mr. Speaker called upon those Members who supported the Motion to rise in their places; and less than 40 Members having risen in their places, the House proceeded to the Orders of the Day, [300] 1745

The Ninth Standing Order (Rule 2) provides Rules for moving the Adjournment of the House. On December 6, Lord Richard Grosvenor, at the commencement of Business, moved "That the House do now adjourn" [for the Christmastide Recess]; objected to as not complying with the Standing Order—Mr. Speaker: Under the exceptional circumstances of the case, the noble Lord was justified in making the Motion. Of course, it may be objected to. The Rule was passed in order to prevent vexatious or obstructive Motions for the Adjournment of the House; and, further, to prevent the interposition of such Motions at Question time, it was laid down that it must be "a definite matter of urgent public importance," [294] 844, 845, 846, 847, 848

[See *Parliament—New Rules of Procedure—Rule* 2]

Rule 5 (Irrelevance or Repetition)—Suspension of Mr. O'Donnell for continued irrelevance and disregarding the authority of the Chair—Proceedings thereon, [293] 1035, 1036, 1042

On Motion to postpone the Orders of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on Egypt and the Soudan—Mr. John Redmond speaking to the subject of the dismissal of an Irish Constabulary officer — Mr. Speaker: I must remind the hon. Gentleman that the Rule of Relevancy strictly applies to this debate, [294] 1180

Mr. Speaker: Order! Order! The hon. Member (Mr. William Redmond) is not now addressing himself to the subject before the House. The hon. Member is altogether irrelevant, and I must call upon him to discontinue his speech—Mr. Redmond resumed his seat, [294] 1185

Mr. Speaker: I have allowed the hon. Member (Mr. Callan) the fullest latitude in his remarks, and I must now ask him to resume his seat on the ground of irrelevancy and tedious repetition, [300] 1428

Rule 8 (Half-past Twelve o'clock Rule)—The nomination of a Committee is exempted from the Half-past 12 Rule. The nomination of an ordinary Select Committee is also exempted from the Half-past 12 Rule, [297] 127, 128

Rule 9 (Order in Debate)—Mr. Speaker: I name Mr. O'Brien for disregarding the authority of the Chair—Mr. Kenny and other Irish Members: Name away—[Mr. Gladstone moved, "That Mr. O'Brien be suspended from the Service of the House"]

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Mr. Sexton: I rise to a point of Order

Mr. Speaker: As no debate is allowed on this Question, it is my duty to put it from the Chair. . . . If the hon. Member rises to a point of Order he can be heard

Mr. Sexton: I wish to submit to you, Sir, that on every occasion hitherto, when a Member has been suspended from the Service of the House for disregarding the authority of the Chair, this formula has always been observed by the Speaker—"Mr. So and So, I name you to the House for disregarding the authority of the Chair," and then a Minister has moved a Motion to suspend him from the Service of the House—On this occasion, Sir, the only words which passed your lips were "Mr. O'Brien." You said nothing further

Mr. Speaker: The course which I adopted was perfectly regular—Ultimately the Question being put the Motion was agreed to, and Mr. Speaker directed the hon. Member to withdraw [Refer to the Debate], [294] 1188

"Disorderly Interruption"—Mr. Healy: I wish to ask you, Sir, a Question upon a matter of Order in relation to an Entry on the Votes, affecting the Journals of the House, which appears in the Votes at p: 134, in the following words:—"Mr. O'Brien, Member for Mallow, having been named by Mr. Speaker for abusing the Rules of the House by disorderly interruption." Can you inform me, Sir, which of the Rules of the House the hon Member for Mallow abused, and what was the nature of the disorderly interruption?—Mr. Speaker: I have no difficulty in answering the Question of the hon. Member. I consider that the hon. Member for Mallow both disregarded the authority of the Chair, and also abused the Rules of the House by disorderly interruption—which is clearly covered by the words of the Standing Order "or otherwise"

Mr. Healy, continuing, in reference to a Motion of which Notice had been given by Mr. Sexton—Mr. Arthur O'Connor: May I ask whether there has ever been a single instance where the conduct of Mr. Speaker has been impugned in which an opportunity was not immediately given for vindicating it?—Mr. Speaker: The course now proposed—namely, to proceed by Notice—has been repeatedly followed when the conduct of the Speaker in the Chair has been challenged. In fact, that is the ordinary and proper course, [294] 1422, 1423, 1424

Mr. Sexton rose in his place, and asked leave to move the Adjournment of the House for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance—viz. the course of action pursued by Mr. Speaker during the sitting of the House on the 24th ult. in silencing the Member for Wexford (Mr. W. Redmond), naming the Member for Mallow (Mr. O'Brien), and procuring the application of the Closure Rule to a debate, and the consequent danger to the Constitutional rights of Members of this House to speak and vote—Whereupon Mr. Speaker, at length, stated his opinion as to the dangerous consequences to the order and disci-

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pline of the House were Motions of this nature, indirectly impugning the conduct of the Speaker in the Chair, permitted. And Mr. Speaker ruled this Motion to be out of Order, and said he would take upon himself not to allow it to be submitted to the House [Refer to the Debate], [294] 1912, 1916

Rule 12 (Notices on going into Committee of Supply)—Mr. Speaker explains, at length, the effect of the exceptions contained in the Standing Order of the 27th of November, 1882—namely, that they apply to first going into Supply on the Army, Navy, and Civil Service Estimates, or on a Vote of Credit. Supplementary Estimates do not come under that Rule, [293] 1598

Committee of Supply on Monday and Thursday—The Standing Order provides that no Amendment can be moved, or any question raised, unless it relates to the Estimates proposed to be taken in Supply—which Mr. Speaker took to mean in Committee of Supply generally, and not in reference to any particular class of Estimates, [296] 1010

Notice of objection given after the Motion for Adjournment has been agreed to will operate for the usual period after the meeting of the House, [295] 1040

Mr. Arthur O'Connor, having referred to Standing Order No. 425a, said: The point I wish, Sir, to submit to you is this—the Vote on Account which the Government propose to take to-night is for the Civil Services and Revenue Departments Estimates, 1885-6, and does not refer to the present financial year, but to the new financial year commencing on the 1st of April, 1885. Therefore, if the Government are to take the Vote on Account to-night and bring it on after you have left the Chair, and Committee of Supply has been begun on the Estimates for the current year, I want to know whether private Members will be deprived of the opportunity, which would otherwise be afforded to them, of moving an Amendment to the Motion that you leave the Chair on the first occasion of going into Committee of Supply on the Civil Service Estimates for the next financial year?—Mr. Speaker: The opportunity for the discussion, to which the hon. Member refers, will be given on the regular Civil Service Estimates of the year, [295] 893, 894

### *ORDERS OF THE DAY*

*Motions and Questions*

Mr. Sexton, as a point of Order, wished to ask whether, when the Speaker publicly notified the day on which a particular Bill should be taken, it was competent for the Government to set aside that Order of the House?—Mr. Speaker: So far as the Order of the House is concerned, it is understood that the Bill referred to will be put down upon the Paper for the next sitting day—Mr. Sexton: Which has already been fixed for this day?—Mr. Speaker: The fixing of a Bill for this day does not prevent the House from exercising the usual pleasure of the House, [294] 797

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Mr. Sexton said, he objected to the Motion on that account first; and next because the faith of the Speaker had been pledged from the Chair—Mr. Speaker: The hon. Member is not justified in making that observation. No word of mine has been pledged in the matter. I simply act upon the Order of the House. It is a common thing for the Committee of Supply and the Committee of Ways and Means to be postponed "until this day;" but that fact does not prevent the House from postponing the consideration of those Orders for a longer period, [294] 799

Mr. Sexton said, he understood the Clerk to read the third Order of the Day, the second Order not having been disposed of—Mr. Speaker: In consequence of the Resolution passed this evening, the third Order has precedence, and the remaining Orders follow in their proper sequence, [298] 1934

Mr. Firth asked whether the House could not proceed with the Infants Bill, as it came second on the Orders of the Day?—Mr. Speaker said the Orders of the Day had not been reached. There could be no object in entering upon the Orders of the Day with the prospect of immediate interruption, [301] 37

The same Question may not be again proposed [Rule 128]—Mr. Speaker said that he could not give a decision upon the point without seeing the Bill. If the [new] Bill was substantially the same as a Bill upon which the House had come to a decision, it would be out of Order; but if it referred to a clause in a Bill which had been decided in different ways at different times, then he was clearly of opinion that it would not be irregular, [298] 1591

A Motion having already been made and negatived, a Resolution moved by an hon. and learned Member could not be put from the Chair, [295] 1285

Notice—Mr. T. D. Sullivan having given Notice of the terms of a Resolution he proposed to move on the same evening—Mr. Speaker said the Motion could not be made, as the Notice was not sufficient, [298] 1346

Withdrawal of Notice—It is quite true that the right hon. Gentleman gave Notice that on the third reading he would move the recommitment of the Bill; but I certainly understood that that Notice had been withdrawn, with the sanction of his Colleague sitting beside him; and, consequently, I allowed the Motion for the third reading to be made, [298] 441

Irregularity of Notice—Mr. Healy: I beg to give Notice that on the Motion to go into Committee on the Parliamentary Elections (Redistribution) Bill I will move, as an Amendment, that the single seat system has been specially adopted as a swindle on the people—Mr. Speaker: The Notice just given by the hon. Member will not appear upon the Paper in that form. The expression is irregular, and ought not to have been used, [294] 1612

A previous Notice having been put down on the same subject — Mr. J. H. M'Carthy asked whether, if an hon. Member withdrew

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his Notice, it would be in the power of another hon. Member to bring the question forward on an earlier occasion before the date originally fixed for the Motion?—Mr. Speaker said, the matter was one of extreme delicacy, the object of the Rule being to prevent the House being taken by surprise: and Mr. Speaker explained, at length, why, in his opinion, the proposal of the hon. Member was out of Order, [296] 1019

*AMENDMENTS TO QUESTIONS*

The Amendment of the hon. Baronet (Sir Wilfrid Lawson) is not, on the face of it, an Amendment which may be called a Vote of Want of Confidence in the Government; but it indicates that, in the opinion of the hon. Baronet, the Government are not such as he can trust in the distribution of the Business of the House in the way they propose, so far as the interests of private Members are concerned. There is nothing on the face of the Amendment, so far as I can see, which raises any difficulty, or anything to warrant me in debarring the hon. Baronet from moving it, [298] 1885

Amendments—Mr. Bryce asked whether, in the event of the Amendment of the hon. Member for Newcastle (Mr. John Morley) being put, and rejected, it would still be open to move the Amendments which stood in the names of other hon. Members?—Mr. Speaker said, that if the result of the vote—"That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question"—should be in the negative, then the Amendment of the hon. Gentleman would become the Substantive Question; and should that Amendment be rejected there would still remain the word "That," to which, in accordance with the practice, it would be competent to move that an addition should be made, [294] 1622

Notice of Amendments—Mr. Warton asked if it was in Order to give Notice of an Amendment to be moved on the Committee stage of a Bill before the Bill had been read a second time?—Mr. Speaker: It is somewhat irregular; and I must admit that there is some inconvenience in that course. The Notice, however, given by the hon. Member will not appear upon the Paper until the Bill reaches the proper stage, [294] 433

*RULES OF DEBATE*

*Relevancy and Irrelevancy*

Relevancy to Question—The Question before the House is the adjournment of the debate; and therefore the hon. Gentleman (Mr. Hicks) is not entitled to discuss the Main Question, [298] 1937

I must repeat that an hon. Member is not entitled to debate the Main Question on the Motion "That the Debate be now adjourned," [297] 787, 789; [298] 525

It is not in Order to discuss the principle of a Motion on the Question of the adjournment of the House, [294] 286, 765

The House is now engaged in nominating the Members of the Committee. It is not, therefore, competent for the hon. Member (Mr. Illingworth) to re-open the whole subject, [299] 239, 240, 241

Right to Reply—Mr. Speaker said, he must call the hon. Gentleman's (Mr. J. K. Cross's) attention to the fact that he was trespassing rather too far on the indulgence of the House, as he had no right to reply, [298] 1077

The hon. Member (Mr. Kenny) is neither respectful to the House, nor is he confining himself to the subject of the Motion before the House. . . . I really must ask the hon. Gentleman to observe the ruling of the Chair, and not to deviate into irrelevant matter, [294] 1771, 1772

The hon. Member (Mr. Ernest Noel) would not be in Order in going into the Dumfries riot; but he might refer to it by way of illustration. He could not be permitted to go fully into the case at Dumfries on the Amendment (on the Address) before the House, [293] 602, 607

Mr. Speaker: I must ask the hon. Gentleman (Mr. W. Redmond) to resume his seat. I have twice told him that his remarks are irrelevant, and that he is exceeding all reasonable latitude. I must ask him, therefore, to resume his seat. Mr. W. Redmond remaining standing—I must ask the hon. Member to resume his seat. Mr. W. Redmond: I was about—— Mr. Speaker: I ask the hon. Gentleman once more to resume his seat. Mr. W. Redmond thereupon sat down, [294] 761, 762

Mr. Speaker calls Mr. O'Brien to Order for irrelevancy, [294] 763

Mr. Speaker: It is my duty to inform the House that the debate has shown a tendency to wander from the immediate Question, which is the preparation of the Registers with respect to Parliamentary Elections. With this observation, I will leave the hon. Member (Mr. R. H. Paget) to conclude his speech, [297] 1672

The hon. and gallant Member's (General Alexander's) remarks will be more pertinent when I put the Question "That this Bill be read a third time." The Question now before the House is that the Motion for the Adjournment of the Debate be withdrawn, [298] 284

The noble Lord (Lord R. Churchill) is perfectly entitled to give reasons against the Adjournment of the House, which is the immediate Question before the House; but the noble Lord is going beyond the Question, [298] 1545, 1554

I must remind the hon. Member (Mr. Macfarlane) that there is nothing in the Bill now before the House (Medical Relief Disqualification Removal Bill) which deals with tobacco. He will, therefore, not be in Order in speaking on this subject—Mr. Macfarlane had assumed that his Amendment having been placed on the Paper was an indication that he would be in Order in moving it—Mr. Speaker: There must be some misconception on the point, as it never came under my notice. The hon. Member cannot be in Order, because the question which he

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has raised is not dealt with by the Bill [299] 963

I must remind the hon. Gentleman (Mr. Rathbone) that the subject before the House is Medical Relief Disqualification. The hon. Member seems to be going into the general subject of Poor Law Administration, [299] 1426

I apprehend that the hon. Member (Mr. A. O'Connor) is not in Order in discussing a police rate when the Income Tax Bill is before the House. The Income Tax Bill has nothing to do with the police rate, [299] 284

The hon. Gentleman (Mr. Harcourt) would not be in Order in discussing the merits of the Bill upon a proposal to defer the second reading until a future day, [297] 1628

The Question of the hon. Member (Mr. Callan) does not appear to me to fairly arise out of the Question upon the Paper, [298] 1827

Premature discussion of a Subject—It is my duty to remind the House that there is no Question before it, and that any argument or debate should be deferred until we have reached the Orders of the Day, [298] 153, 160, 1040

Mr. Speaker said, the hon. Member (Mr. Shield) was out of Order in anticipating an Amendment he had put upon the Paper, [299] 1692

Mr. Speaker: The hon. Gentleman (Mr. Callan) is anticipating a Motion which stands in his own name upon the Paper. The Question is the Adjournment of the House, [301] 29

*Order in Debate*

Mr. Healy: Order, order!—Mr. Speaker: The hon. and learned Member should not be so demonstrative in his remarks—Mr. Healy: Am I to understand that it is out of Order to cry "Order!" in this House?—Mr. Speaker: The tone and the way in which the hon. and learned Member expressed himself is out of Order—Mr. Healy: In that case—— Mr. Speaker: The hon. and learned Member is not in Order in addressing the Chair in this way. If the hon. and learned Member continues I shall have to take notice of his interruption, [296] 1964

Mr. Speaker: I must ask the hon. Member (Mr. O'Kelly) to abstain from making these indecorous observations and explanations, [296] 1141

Disorderly Interruption — Mr. Speaker: I must request hon. Members not to interrupt the right hon. Gentleman (Mr. Trevelyan). I have had before this evening to call attention to these repeated interruptions, which are unjustifiable on the part of any hon. Member; and I hope they will not be continued, [293] 234, 817, 818

*Unparliamentary Language*

Mr. Healy: I beg to give Notice that on the first and every available opportunity, in season and out of season, I will call attention in the House of Commons to the ruffianism of re-appointing Mr. George Bolton by the Irish Government—Mr. Speaker: The expression just used by the hon. and learned Member is entirely irregular, and out of Order; and as there have been so many instances of irregular Questions being put in the form of Notices, I shall be bound to take more serious notice of them if the practice is persisted in, [293] 781

Mr. Callan—Though they were Home Rulers, and agreed in some matters and politics with the right hon. Gentleman (Mr. Campbell-Bannerman), they had a greater respect for the opinions of Irish gentlemen of character and position in Ireland than they had of Scotch interlopers —— Mr. Speaker: I am bound to remind the hon. Gentleman that his language is extremely violent, and exceeds Parliamentary manners. I shall have to caution him very severely if he pursues this course of observation, [296] 1038

Mr. O'Brien: Mr. Speaker, with respect to the partly grotesque and partly shameful statement made by the right hon. Gentleman—— Mr. Speaker: Order, order! The hon. Member must withdraw the expression shameful, [294] 1029

Mr. Speaker: The hon. and learned Member (Mr. Bulwer) complained, as I understood, of indecorous conduct on the part of some Irish Members; but he is himself quite out of Order in speaking of hon. Members as indecent Irishmen, [293] 396

Mr. Gladstone: I know not whether I caught the expression of the right hon. Gentleman (Mr. J. Lowther) correctly; but I think he said I "bolted," which is a phrase of an invidious and offensive description—— Mr. Speaker: I did not catch the expression. I thought the term used was "voted," [298] 439

Mr. E. Stanhope said, he did not wish to say anything further with regard to the job that had been perpetrated—Mr. Speaker: I do not think that the observation of the hon. Gentleman is one that ought to be allowed to pass, [298] 423

Mr. Healy: I beg to give Notice that when the Vote in reference to the Phœnix Park comes on in Committee of Supply I shall call attention to the continual encroachments on public property by the snobs and swells of Dublin Garrison—Mr. Speaker: The hon. and learned Member is quite out of Order. The hon. and learned Member must withdraw that expression. It is not a proper or a Parliamentary expression to be used in this House, [297] 18

Mr. W. Redmond: Perhaps, however, before he concluded his remarks those who interrupted him would be the worse for their interruption—Mr. Speaker: The hon. Member must continue his speech without making any threat to hon. Members of this House, [297] 1004

He (Mr. Leamy) was convinced that no honest man in Ireland would believe a word from George Bolton. The Lord Lieutenant of Ireland himself, he was certain, did not believe him. The Lord Lieutenant knew he was a scoundrel—Mr. Callan: Arcades

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ambo—Mr. Speaker: It appears to me from what I heard that the hon. Member for Louth has made use of an expression which is not in Order—Mr. Callan: I said tantamount to this—that the Lord Lieutenant and Mr. George Bolton were both Crown officials—Mr. Speaker: It was an irregular expression, and I must ask the hon. Member to withdraw it, [294] 318, 319

Mr. W. Redmond: A great many bad characters in Ireland, from Lord Spencer downwards, had lost their position by the fall of the late Government—Mr. Speaker: I must inform the hon. Member that that is not a respectful way to speak of any Member of the other House. I must ask him to withdraw the expression, [299] 1792

He (Mr. Hopwood) could not understand why the right hon. Gentleman opposite (Sir R. Assheton Cross) had interfered with the ordinary course, and interposed between the House and the Motion of which he had given Notice, unless it were for the indecent purpose ——[" Order!"] Mr. Speaker: That is not a proper expression for the hon. and learned Member to use. It is out of Order, and I hope the hon. and learned Member will withdraw it, [300] 579

*Offensive words against a Member*

Mr. Speaker: An imputation of malice to any Member of the House is undoubtedly out of Order. The hon. Member (Mr. Lewis) will withdraw the expression, [299] 1110

If the hon. Member (Mr. T. P. O'Connor) intends, either directly or indirectly, to impute any conduct of the kind to the hon. and learned Gentleman (The Attorney General) and the right hon. Gentleman (Sir W. Harcourt) he is clearly out of Order, and he must withdraw the imputation, [297] 1023

Mr. Speaker: If the hon. and learned Member (Mr. Solicitor General for Ireland) alludes to any Member of this House when he says there has been a deliberate attempt to prevent justice, he is not in Order in doing so, [293] 180

Mr. Speaker: The hon. Member (Mr. Roundell) is not in Order in stating that hon. Members have trumped up charges with that motive. The hon. Gentleman, I am sure, will withdraw that expression, [293] 310, 311

Mr. Speaker: It would be altogether out of Order for the right hon. Gentleman (Mr. Chamberlain) to accuse the noble Lord (Lord Randolph Churchill) of not believing in charges which he has brought before the House. If the right hon. Gentleman says that, he will not be in Order, [293] 569, 570

Sir C. Dilke: I wish to know whether the hon. Member (Mr. P. A. Muntz) is in Order in imputing dishonest practices to a Member of this House?—Mr. Speaker: I did not catch the expression to which the right hon. Gentleman alludes; but, undoubtedly, it would be an improper and un-Parliamentary expression, [293] 599

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Mr. John Redmond: Then he denied that the nuns were "assaulted," although the Mayor distinctly used the word himself; therefore he charged the hon. Member with being dishonest. ["Oh!"] He used the word entirely in a Parliamentary sense—Mr. Speaker: The charge against an hon. Member of being dishonest is one that ought not to be made in this House, and I hope the hon. Member will withdraw it, [294] 964

Lord Colin Campbell: He found one great difficulty in dealing with the hon. Member (Mr. Macfarlane), and that was his singular character of duplicity—Mr. Speaker: That is not a term which should be used in this House by one hon. Member to another hon. Member. I hope the noble Lord will withdraw that expression, [293] 1791

Sir F. Milner: . . . . . . and especially to listen to that refined discourse which was delivered by the hon. Member for Southwark (Mr. Thorold Rogers), whom the Speaker had to call to Order three times for not behaving himself like a gentleman—[" Order, order!"]—Mr. Speaker: The hon. Member is not entitled to speak in that way, and to say that an hon. Member did not behave himself like a gentleman, [293] 1276

Sir H. D. Wolff: Notwithstanding the speech which the right hon. Gentleman (Mr. Chamberlain) has made with his usual insolence—Mr. Speaker: I hope the hon. Gentleman will withdraw that expression, [293] 263, 264

Mr. Chamberlain: Last night I did not reply to the statement of the hon. Member for Portsmouth, who appeared to me on that occasion to be acting as jackal to the noble Lord—Lord R. Churchill: In the interest of Parliamentary decency, I rise to Order—Mr. Speaker: I hope the noble Lord will not take the word in too literal a sense. I regarded it as figuratively used, and not, therefore, transgressing any Rule of the House, and I do not think the noble Lord himself can be serious in the matter, [293] 165

Mr. Healy: I wish to ask you, Sir, whether it is admissible for an hon. Gentleman, under cover of a Question, to make a gross insinuation of perjury against a series of Members of this House? I wish to ask whether you, Sir, as Speaker of this House, will allow an imputation of that kind to be cast upon Members of this House?—Mr. Speaker: Any imputation of that kind cast upon a Member of this House would, in my opinion, be out of Order; and if the hon. Member (Mr. M'Coan) had desired to put the Question on the Paper I would certainly have revised it, [296] 1860

Mr. Broadhurst: He wished to know, therefore, notwithstanding the obstruction of the right hon. Gentleman the Member for Westminster——["Order, order!"]—Mr. Speaker: I must ask the hon. Member to withdraw that expression. His supplementary Question is irregular in itself—Mr. Broadhurst: I most heartily withdraw the expression if it is out of Order, [296] 1106

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Reference to the House of Lords—The hon. Member (Mr. Thorold Rogers) is referring to the other branch of the Legislature, and I am bound to remind him that he must speak with respect of the House of Lords

Mr. Thorold Rogers said, he withdrew the expression at once . . . . Might he not remind hon. Members that Bills were constantly brought into that House to settle the estates of noble profligates?—Mr. Speaker: The remarks of the hon. Member are, I think, regrettable; and I do not see that they are relevant to the Question now before the House, [293] 1164

Mr. Rogers proceeded—In 1832 the Freemen were disfranchised by that House, but were restored to their position by that august and noble Assembly which met in an adjacent Chamber, just as that Assembly would always restore any mischievous and scandalous institution—Mr. Speaker: Order, Order! I must remind the hon. Member that his remarks are contrary to the principles of amenity which should guide the conduct of Members of this House in speaking of the other House, [293] 1165

I must remind the hon. and learned Member (Mr. Healy) that Members of the other branch of the Legislature must be spoken of with respect in this House. Besides, the conduct of Lord Ardilaun is not now under consideration, [298] 101

Her Majesty's Judges—Mr. Biggar: There was an institution in that City with which they were, doubtless, more or less acquainted, associated with the name of "Judge and Jury," and Baron Nicholson might be said to preside with quite as much dignity and fairness at the "Coal-Hole" as some of the Irish Judges, of whom a certain number were admittedly of an objectionable character—Mr. Speaker: I do not think the expression just used by the hon. Member is a proper one. If the hon. Gentleman does not withdraw it, I will be obliged to take further notice of his conduct, [293] 822

Mr. T. P. O'Connor: With a jury of 12 of the Loyal Party, and with a ferocious partizan in the shape of a Judge——Mr. Speaker: The hon. Gentleman has just used an expression which is quite out of Order. The hon. Gentleman has used an expression which he ought not to have used in speaking of a Judge as a ferocious partizan. I ask him to be good enough to withdraw that expression, [295] 1813

Mr. Speaker: The hon. Gentleman asks me a Question on a point of Order. The Question could not be received in that form, because it impugned the conduct of a Judge, and that would not be the proper form to impugn the conduct of such an official, [294] 1750

*Questions by Members*

*Argumentative Questions*

The hon. Member (Mr. W. Redmond), under cover of giving Notice of a Question, is now arguing, [295] 1082

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The Question of the hon. Member (Mr. T. P. O'Connor) is argumentative in discussing the course of procedure, which is entirely in the discretion of the Government, [296] 848

The hon. Gentleman (Mr. Parnell) is now putting his Question in a very argumentative form. If he will confine himself to a mere Question he will be in Order, [296] 1637

The Question, as I read it, certainly does contain statements which are liable to be disputed. I am always glad, with the sanction of the House, to take every opportunity of eliminating from Questions all matters of a contentious nature. However, the substance of the Question, when such disputatious matter has been eliminated, can be put, [298] 146

Mr. Speaker: Before the hon. Gentleman (Mr. M'Coan) puts this Question, I must call his attention to the fact that the last two lines contravene the Rule of this House which applies to Questions, inasmuch as they contain a statement of fact which, I understand, is disputed; and also a matter of opinion as to the interpretation to be put upon the articles in question, which he states to be "appeals to popular ignorance and passion." Following the Rule which applies to Questions, I must ask the hon. Gentleman to be good enough to omit that portion of the Question, [294] 611, 612

The hon. Gentleman (Mr. Percy Wyndham) is clearly entering upon matter of debate, [298] 165

*Irregularity of Question*

Mr. Speaker: Order, order! This new Question does not arise in any way out of the Question on the Paper, [293] 1366

The supplementary Question which the hon. Member (Mr. Callan) now proposes to put was, by my direction, expunged, and I cannot allow it to be put, [293] 160

I must point out to the hon. Member (Mr. Callan) that it is not permissible to deliberately read any part of a Question which I have ruled to be entirely out of Order, [299] 912

It is irregular to ask Questions with regard to matters of opinion, as it is obvious that if that practice were allowed to be indulged in it would give rise to a great deal of debate and controversy, *ib.*

Irregularity of Notice of Question—Mr. W. Redmond: I also give Notice that I shall take every opportunity afforded me of calling attention to the shameful conduct of the Land Commission in Ireland in dismissing a gentleman of the high character and qualifications of Mr. Haughton—— Mr. Speaker: Order, order? The hon. Gentleman is not entitled to use the epithet which he has just used in giving Notice of a Question. . . . . . As the Question could not appear in that shape upon the Paper, it is irregular to give Notice of it in that form, [294] 441

I have to observe that one of the paragraphs in the Question has escaped Notice, and has inadvertently been allowed to appear on the

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Notice Paper. It is an improper and irregular paragraph, and I shall not allow it to be put, [293] 789

Mr. Speaker: I must certainly acknowledge that the last paragraph of the Question cannot come within the limits of a proper Question to a Minister of the Crown. It asks, "What answer the Returning Officer intends to give;" and I must rule that that portion of the Question is irregular, and cannot be put, [295] 1240

Sir H. D. Wolff having asked a Question respecting the policy of the Government in postponing the renewal of the Prevention of Crime (Ireland) Act, 1882—Mr. Speaker: As far as I am able to gather the purport of the Question put by the hon. Member, I do not think that it comes within the fair limit of Questions ordinarily put in this House, [294] 1048

The hon. Member (Mr. Tomlinson) said he desired to put the Question in the form in which he originally placed it on the Paper—namely, by substituting for "serious" the words "humiliating and disastrous to British interests" — Mr. Speaker: Those words would be out of Order, [296] 1862

*Alteration of Question*

Mr. W. Redmond asked why a portion of a Question of which he had given Notice (respecting a pier at Moville) had been struck out?—Mr. Speaker: I do not understand that there was anything in the Question struck out; and the Clerk at the Table is not cognizant of such a thing, [294] 47

Mr. Sexton asked whether a Notice given by the hon. Member for Armagh (Mr. Beresford) can appear upon the Notice Paper in that form; and whether it does not doubly violate the Rules by applying the terms "outrageous and cowardly" to Members of this House; and, also, whether it is not out of Order in expressing an opinion?—Mr. Speaker: The Notice given by the hon. Member will be revised and put into a proper shape before it appears on the Paper, [295] 1679

Mr. Dixon-Hartland said, his Question was so utterly mutilated by the way it had been altered at the Table that he declined to put it as it appeared on the Paper—Mr. Speaker said, what the hon. Member stated to be mutilation was the omission of a newspaper comment, which was couched in strong language, and did not contain a mere statement of fact, [295] 882

*Answers to Questions*

Of course, the hon. Member (Mr. M'Coan) is entitled to put a Question to a Minister of the Crown; but it is entirely within the discretion of the Minister to give it any answer which he thinks right—it is for him to judge what answer should be given to any Question, [300] 823

The Minister who is to answer the Question will, no doubt, be prepared to say whether the Question has already been answered or not, [299] 1401

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The hon. Member (Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett) has asked a Question, and I understood the Prime Minister to say that he did not think it consistent with his public duty to give an Answer. The hon. Gentleman is now arguing the question why an Answer should be given, [298] 1035

Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett: I should like also to point out that the right hon. Gentleman (Mr. Gladstone), in quoting the Question, used the word "agree;" whereas I asked whether the Government "adhere" to the statement of the Secretary of State for India—Mr. Speaker: It is entirely within the discretion of the First Lord of the Treasury to decide what answer he shall give, [295] 1703

Mr. Speaker: The hon. Member (Mr. Ashmead-Bartlett) is asking the noble Lord (the Marquess of Hartington) to reply to a Question he has already replied to; and is, therefore, not in Order, [296] 393

Mr. Sexton wished to know, as a matter of Order, whether a Question could be put in the absence of the hon. Member in whose name it stood upon the Paper?—Mr. Speaker said, that the Question was a personal one, and put as a matter of courtesy to the hon. and gallant Member (Colonel King-Harman), [298] 491

Sir George Campbell: As the noble Lord (Lord R. Churchill) was not in his place he might, perhaps, be permitted to answer the Question himself. He did not expect the noble Lord to come down to the House to answer this one Question; but he had been furnished with the reply, which was of some public interest, and, with the permission of the House, he would read it—Mr. Speaker pointed out that the course about to be taken was contrary to the practice of the House, [301] 13

Questions identical in terms — Mr. Speaker: This Question is in identical terms with one put on the Paper and answered yesterday; and it is contrary to the Rules of the House to put it again, [293] 904

Mr. Speaker: I do not think the hon. Gentleman (Mr. A. J. Balfour) is in Order in asking a Question which does not arise out of the Answers given. . . The hon. Member is not in Order in putting to a Minister a Question as to the construction of an Answer given by another Minister, [298] 1409

The hon. Gentleman (Mr. A. J. Balfour) is entirely out of Order. He is now referring to a past debate, [298] 1410

Mr. Gibson: I ask you, Mr. Speaker, if the right hon. Gentleman (Mr. Childers) is in Order, having answered the Question, to go into these matters, which are subjects of debate and discussion? — Mr. Speaker: I understand the right hon. Gentleman is only stating facts in answer to the Question, [295] 103

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Mr. Speaker: As the language attributed to the right hon. Gentleman (Mr. Bright) is now under the consideration of the House, the right hon. Gentleman will follow precedent by withdrawing—Mr. Bright: Cannot I stay here, Sir, if I do not vote?—Mr. Speaker: The course generally followed is

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to withdraw; and the right hon. Gentleman will follow precedent by withdrawing, [300] 266

Whether certain expressions used were a breach of the Privileges of the House or not, 283, 304, 306

Mr. Onslow: I wish to ask you, Sir, whether a Minister of the Crown, having, in the face of this House, deliberately stated certain facts to prove his case, or in aid of some other case, when those facts have been found in a Court of Law to be utterly inconsistent with what really took place, it is not his duty, as a Minister of the Crown, to apologize to the House?—Mr. Speaker: I have only to say, in answer to the appeal of the hon. Member, that there is no point of Order before me, nor any point upon which a direction from the Chair is necessary, [294] 1039

Mr. W. Redmond rose to move the adjournment of the debate, and was called on by name; but gave way to Mr. Chamberlain. When the hon. Member rose the second time, Mr. Speaker thought it right to call upon Mr. W. Redmond again, [293] 513

Lord R. Churchill asked, if it is in Order for a Minister of the Crown to put words into the mouth of a Member of Parliament which that Member of Parliament never uttered?—Mr. Speaker: If the noble Lord repudiates the words, I have no doubt the right hon. Gentleman (Mr. Chamberlain) will not insist upon them. It is not a question of Order, [293] 164

Mr. Deasy: I wish to ask you, Mr. Speaker, whether it would be irregular to omit the prefix "Mr." from the name of French under the circumstances I have mentioned?—Mr. Speaker: I do not see that any question of Order would arise in adding the prefix "Mr." or in omitting it, [294] 268

Personal Explanation—Mr. Speaker: If the hon. Member (Mr. O'Brien) wishes to make a personal explanation, the House will grant its indulgence.—Mr. O'Brien: I merely wish to say that whatever may be the opinion of the right hon. Gentleman—— Mr. Speaker: That is not in the nature of a personal explanation, [294] 613

Speaking a second time—Mr. Onslow said he would like to know from the Chair whether, if he asked a Question now, he should imperil his right to speak in the debate when it came on?—Mr. Speaker said that by putting a Question now the hon. Member would not be barred from taking part in the debate, [295] 223

Production of Public Documents—Lord Randolph Churchill asked the Speaker whether, when a Minister presented Papers to the House, and made a statement with reference to them, the Motion would not be made that the Papers lie on the Table?—Mr. Speaker: The Motion would be to refer the Vote to a Committee of Supply—Lord Randolph Churchill: And on that a Debate would arise?—Mr. Speaker: Yes—Mr. J. Lowther: Will it take precedence of Notices of Motions on Tuesday?—Mr. Speaker: Yes—it would take precedence, [297] 33, 34

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Quoting from Speeches in the other House—Colonel Nolan asked whether it was not out of Order to answer Questions, as the noble Lord (Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice) had done, by quotations from speeches made in the House of Lords?—Mr. Speaker: There is no point of Order to be raised. I did not understand the noble Lord to quote from any speech made in the House of Lords; but to refer to a speech in general terms, [296] 1102

*DIVISIONS*

No Member is entitled to vote on a question in which he has a direct pecuniary interest. Sir E. Watkin had a pecuniary interest in the *Channel Tunnel* (*Experimental Works*) *Bill*, and therefore could not vote—Lord R. Churchill had a pecuniary interest in an undertaking of a precisely similar character; and asked Mr. Speaker whether that circumstance would prevent him from voting on the Motion of Sir E. Watkin?—Mr. Speaker: There is no Rule or custom of the House on the subject; and I should recommend each Member to be guided by his own feelings in the matter, and to vote, or abstain from voting, as he thinks fit, [298] 342

Tellers—In reply to the hon. and learned Member (Mr. Warton), it will be in the recollection of the House that I distinctly asked the hon. and learned Member who would tell with him, and, as I received no reply, I named the hon. Member for Cavan (Mr. Biggar), because he had supported the Motion moved by the hon. and learned Member, [298] 936

On Motion, "That leave be given to bring in a Bill for extending the Parliamentary Franchise to Women," a division being taken, there appeared: Ayes 29; Noes 8 — Mr. Warton: I rise to Order. I wish, Sir, to call your attention to the fact that there are not 40 Members present—Mr. Speaker: Including the Tellers there are more than 40 Members present, [294] 23, 24

*COMMITTEES*

Select Committees—Attendance of Members—The Select Committee on Railway Bills (Group 4) having reported that two of the Members of the said Committee were not present at the hour appointed, the hon. Gentlemen were ordered to attend the Committee. It was, however, stated, on behalf of Mr. Kenny, that he had received a notification that he would be required to attend during a certain week, but not of the day and hour when he would be required—Mr. Kenny now complained that the Order to attend implied a censure upon him—Mr. Speaker said, that in the absence of any such notification no censure upon the hon. Member would be implied, [296] 1841

Public Sessional Committees—The Committee of Selection having been nominated—Mr. Sexton asked whether he would be in Order in moving that certain Members should be added to these Committees?—Mr. Speaker said, that a Member could make a Motion of

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that kind on giving due notice of his intention, [294] 906
Select Committees—Nomination—I have not put the first name of the hon. Member who it is proposed should form the Select Committee; and, therefore, the wider Question is still before the House on the Question that the Select Committee do consist of such and such Members, [297] 781
Mr. Sexton moved that the Return be printed, with a view to its being circulated—Mr. Speaker said, he would remind the hon. Gentleman that every Return of a Select Committee is printed in the ordinary course, [301] 24

*INSTRUCTIONS TO COMMITTEES*
The hon. Member (Mr. Kenny) would be out of Order in moving the Instruction, as the Committee had power to do what the Instruction proposed, [294] 1938
The Instruction the hon. and learned Member (Mr. Warton) would move is not necessary. The Committee will be competent to deal with that Question without that Motion, [299] 574
It is perfectly in Order to move an Instruction to the Committee to do what it would not otherwise be able to do, [293] 1387

*PUBLIC BILLS*
*Earldom of Mar Restitution Bill*—Moved, "That the Bill be now read the first time"—Sir G. Campbell asked if it was in Order to read a Bill for the first time in this manner? It was a peculiar Bill, and he would like to know why this extraordinary course was being followed?—Mr. Speaker: The Bill has been brought down from the other House, and it is read a first time as a matter of course—The Chancellor of the Exchequer: The object is to obtain the Royal Assent for the Bill—Bill read the first time, and, immediately, after short debate, read the second time, [300] 683, 684
*Tramways Order in Council (Ireland) Bill*—Mr. Healy asked whether the Bill was to be regarded as a Public or as a Private Bill—there being some uncertainty on the point owing to what had occurred in the other House, and a great Constitutional question might arise upon it?—Mr. Speaker said, that the measure had been treated as a Public Bill in the House of Lords, [299] 1693
Notice—Mr. A. O'Connor asked whether it would not be in accordance with the Orders and established practice of the House, that when leave was applied for to bring in a Public Bill there should be a Notice on the Notice Paper?—Mr. Speaker: The course indicated by the hon. Gentleman is in Order. The Bill was brought in in accordance with a Resolution previously agreed to. Under those circumstances no Notice was necessary, [296] 1296
Orders of the Day—On Motion, "That the Bill (*Army (Annual) Bill*) be now read a second time"—Mr. Sexton: I object. The Motion is only on the Paper for the first time to-day; and, consequently, Members

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have not had an opportunity of putting down a Notice of Opposition—Mr. Speaker: This is an Order of the Day, and the fact of the hon. Gentleman's objecting does not prevent it from coming on, [296] 366, 367, 371
When a Bill is the Order of the Day, the Bill becomes the property of the House, and it is competent for any hon. Member to move its further stages, [299] 567
*Oaths Bill*—Order read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on Question, "That the Bill be now read the second time"—Mr. Newdegate moved "That the Order be discharged"—Mr. Speaker said, in the absence of the hon. and learned Member who had charge of the Bill (Mr. Hopwood), it would be a very unusual course for the Order to be discharged, [299] 1865
Mr. Onslow said, that as the Bill (*Infants Bill*) contained matter for grave discussion he begged to move that the Committee be taken on Friday—Mr. Speaker: It is a most unusual course to take in the absence of the Member in charge of the Bill (Mr. Bryce), [300] 1856; *Police Enfranchisement Extension Bill*, [300] 1523
Amendments—*Municipal Voters (Relief) Bill*—Moved, "That the Bill, as amended, be now considered"—Mr. Healy said, he understood that no Amendment had been proposed or made in the Bill; and he wished to ask, as a point of Order, whether there was really any stage before the House? As there had been no Amendment to the Bill, in his judgment the heading given to it in the Orders of the Day was inaccurate, and the Bill could not come before the House under the stage of a Bill to be considered, as amended
Mr. Speaker: The stage has not been abolished, although there has been no amendment to the Bill, [295] 1044
Notice of Amendments—*Elections in Counties (Hours of Poll) Bill*—Consideration—Mr. Warton desired to propose a new clause—Mr. Speaker: The hon. and learned Gentleman has not given Notice of the Clause—Mr. Warton: I gave Notice of it to Sir Arthur Otway (the Chairman of Committees)—Mr. Speaker: The Notice was not sufficient to comply with the Rules of the House, [295] 402
Amendments—The hon. Member (Mr. Orr-Ewing) is going to a point prior in the Bill to that in respect of which the hon. Member for Ipswich (Mr. Jesse Collings) has now moved an Amendment; and it is only by asking the hon. Member to withdraw that Amendment that he can bring forward the Amendment to which he refers, [299] 1656
Re-commitment — The hon. Member (Mr. Ramsay) would be in Order in moving to re-commit the Bill, with a view to insert a definite Amendment, [299] 1657, 1658, 1659
*Criminal Law Amendment Bill*, Committee—Mr. Speaker said, they had gone through the clause now. It was, therefore, too late to make any further Amendment on the clause—Mr. Morgan Lloyd asked whether he could not make some addition to the clause at the

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end ?—Mr. Speaker said, it was impossible to make any Amendment now. The Question was, whether the clause, as amended, should stand part of the Bill ? [300] 1390

Mr. Labouchere rose to move a clause he had put upon the Paper. Objected to—Mr. Speaker : At this stage of the Bill anything can be introduced into it by the leave of the House, [300] 1357

Mr. Speaker said, he had allowed the hon. Member (Mr. Callan) to go on ; but it appeared to him that under cover of moving a new clause he was re-trying a case which had already been settled by a Court of Law. He might raise the case as an illustration of his argument ; but to discuss it at great length in the manner he was doing was going beyond the limits of debate and would be entirely out of Order, [300] 1425, 1426, 1427

Irrelevancy of Amendment—Dr. Lyons having moved, in the *Parliamentary Elections (Redistribution) Bill,* Schedule 4 (New Boroughs), to insert, as a separate paragraph, "Royal University of Ireland—Two Members"—Mr. Speaker ruled that the Amendment was out of Order, as the Royal University was not a borough, [297] 1071

Mr. Jesse Collings : Considering the extreme urgency of the Measure (*Medical Relief Disqualification Removal Bill*), I beg to move that the third reading of the Bill be now taken—Mr. Speaker : Is it the pleasure of the House to take the third reading of the Bill now ? ["No, no !"] The third reading of the Bill can only be taken by the general concurrence of the House, and that has not been obtained, [299] 1673, 1674

*Poor Law Guardians (Ireland) Bill*—Bill, as amended, considered. Moved, "That the Bill be now read the third time"—Mr. Tottenham said he objected to the third reading, on the ground that several hon. Members interested in the Bill were absent—Mr. Parnell asked if the objection of a single hon. Member was fatal to the Motion ?—Mr. Speaker said that was not so. The question was for the decision of the House, [293] 1707

The *Yorkshire Registries Act* (1884) *Amendment Bill* having been presented and read the first and second time and committed at the same Sitting, the Judge Advocate General appealed to the House to pass the Bill through its remaining stages—Mr. Warton opposed—Mr. Speaker : What is required is the general assent of the House ; but where a personal injury would be inflicted, as I understand would be the case if this Bill is not passed, the House has generally taken a lenient view, and allowed one or more stages to be taken. It does not require the unanimous sense of the House, [294] 570

Money Bills—*East India Unclaimed Stocks Bill*—This Bill, under the Standing Order, is the same as an ordinary Money Bill. It is essentially a Money Bill, [297] 606

Money Clauses—It is necessary to pass a Resolution in Committee for the purpose of sanctioning a Money Clause in a Bill. The Bill itself (*Post Office Sites* (*Purchase of Land and Expenses*) is not entirely a Money Bill ; but it contains a clause which is a Money Clause ; and in order to bring that clause in harmony with the Rules of the House it is necessary to set up the Bill in Committee, so that the Money Clause may be inserted in it, [297] 137, 138

Amendments—It is not competent for the hon. Member (Mr. M'Coan) to move an Amendment which would have the effect of raising the penalty. . . . The ruling he had given had reference to the money penalty only, but did not apply to the term of imprisonment, [300] 1502, 1504

*PRIVATE BILLS*

"Blocking"—The Half-past Twelve Rule—*Private Bill Legislation*—Second Reading—Sir Joseph Pease said, he wished, with the permission of the House, to insert an Amendment in the Question as it stood on the Paper—Mr. Speaker : The hon. Member's own Amendment acts as a block after half-past 12. He cannot, therefore, proceed with his proposal, [295] 585

Mr. Biggar said, that as a question of Order he would ask whether or not, as the Motion had been objected to, it ought not, as a matter of course, to stand over until to-morrow ?—Mr. Speaker said, that the Rule only applied to Orders of the Day. The Motion did not come before the House as an Order of the Day ; but its only object was to facilitate a further stage of the Bill at a future time. Therefore, it was not irregular to discuss the Motion now, [299] 1615

*Ramsden Estate Bill*—The action taken by the hon. Member for Salford (Mr. Arthur Arnold) was in the nature of opposition ; and, therefore, the Bill must stand over until to-morrow, [300] 1036

*Southwark and Vauxhall Water Bill* — Mr. Speaker : Order ! I must remind the hon. and learned Gentleman (Mr. Firth) that the Motion before the House is, "That the Order for the Second Reading of the Bill be read and discharged." It is quite irregular to discuss the merits of the Bill upon such a Motion, [300] 240

*PROVISIONAL ORDER BILL*

*Local Government (Ireland) Provisional Orders Bill*—Colonel King-Harman asked whether it was in Order to take this Bill at the time for Private Bills ? It had been treated as a Public Bill in the Upper House — Mr. Speaker : The Bill is a Public Bill ; but it is customary to take Provisional Order Bills at this time—Mr. Sexton : The Amendment made by the Lords related to a distinct and fresh matter—namely, the allowance per head of water. He submitted that this Amendment was not within the scope of the Bill, and should not be considered by the House—Mr. Speaker : It is within the competence of this House to agree or disagree with what the Lords have inserted. There is nothing on the face of the Amendment to prevent the Lords from inserting it, or this House from discussing it, [300] 1558

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*SUPPLY*

Resolved, That this House will, upon Friday, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty *Nov* 5

293] Considered in Committee *Nov* 13, 1599—ARMY SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES, 1884-5—MILITARY OPERATIONS IN EGYPT AND BECHUANALAND;—£1,000,000, for certain Army Services, to meet Additional Expenditure arising from the Expedition up the Nile;—£675,000, for certain Army Services, to meet Additional Expenditure arising from the Expedition to Bechuanaland, 1655

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SUPPLY—*cont.*

NAVY SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES, 1884-5 — MILITARY OPERATIONS IN EGYPT AND BECHUANALAND;—£324,000, for certain Navy Services, to meet Additional Expenditure arising out of the Military Operations in Egypt,

293] 1705;—£50,000, for Additional Expenditure arising out of the Operations in Bechuanaland

First and Third Resolutions to be reported To-morrow

Second and Fourth Resolutions to be reported upon Thursday next

Resolutions reported, and, after short debate,

294] agreed to *Nov* 20, 77

Considered in Committee *Feb* 20, 967—CIVIL SERVICES (SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES, 1884-5) —CLASS I.—PUBLIC WORKS AND BUILDINGS—Votes 13, 16, 17, 22, & 26; CLASS II.—SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF CIVIL DEPARTMENTS—Votes 2, 7, 11, 16, 20, 25, 31 & 33

Resolutions reported, and, after debate, agreed to *Feb* 23, 1141

295] Considered in Committee *Mar* 5, 133—NAVY (SUPPLEMENTARY) (MILITARY OPERATIONS IN EGYPT) — CIVIL SERVICES (SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES, 1884-5)—CLASS III.—LAW AND JUSTICE—Votes 11, 14, 22, & 30—CLASS IV. —EDUCATION, SCIENCE, AND ART—Votes 1, 2, 4, 7, & 11

Resolutions reported *Mar* 6

Considered in Committee *Mar* 9, 453—ARMY ESTIMATES (SUPPLEMENTARY, 1884-5)—ADDITIONAL NUMBER OF MEN—(OPERATIONS IN THE SOUDAN)

Resolutions reported *Mar* 10

Considered in Committee *Mar* 12, 894—CIVIL SERVICES (SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES, 1884-5) —CLASS IV.—EDUCATION, SCIENCE, AND ART — Vote 14 — CLASS V. — FOREIGN AND COLONIAL SERVICES — Votes 1, 6, & 7 — CLASS VI.—NON-EFFECTIVE AND CHARITABLE SERVICES — Votes 1, 5, & 10 — CLASS VII. —MISCELLANEOUS—Vote 1;—REVENUE DEPARTMENTS — Votes 2 & 5; — CLASS VII.—MISCELLANEOUS—GRANT TO FAMILY OF GENERAL GORDON £20,000

Resolutions reported, and, after short debate, agreed to *Mar* 13, 1184

Considered in Committee *Mar* 16, 1305—NAVY ESTIMATES—Departmental Statement; CIVIL SERVICES (SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES, 1884-5) — CLASS VII. — MISCELLANEOUS—Vote 3—VOTE ON ACCOUNT, CIVIL SERVICES £3,533,650; CIVIL SERVICE EXCESSES

Resolutions reported, and, after long debate, agreed to *Mar* 19, 1806

Considered in Committee *Mar* 19, 1733—ARMY ESTIMATES (NUMBERS)—Departmental Statement and Vote 1

296] Resolutions reported *Mar* 20, 170

First Resolution [Numbers] agreed to

Resolution 2 [Pay and Allowances]

Amendt. to leave out "£4,513,000," insert "£4,043,000" (*Mr. Labouchere*), 172; Question proposed, 'That £4,543,000' stand part of the said Resolution;" after short debate, Question put; A. 67, N. 18; M. 49 (D. L. 74)

Resolution agreed to

[See title *Army* (*Annual*) *Bill*]

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SUPPLY—*cont.*

296] Considered in Committee *Mar* 30 — CIVIL SERVICE ESTIMATES — CLASS I. — PUBLIC WORKS AND BUILDINGS—Votes 1 to 3
Resolutions reported *April* 9

Considered in Committee *April* 9, 1166 — CIVIL SERVICE ESTIMATES—CLASS I.—PUBLIC WORKS AND BUILDINGS—Votes 5 to 17
Resolutions reported, and, after short debate, agreed to *April* 10, 1431

297] Considered in Committee *April* 20, 182—NAVY ESTIMATES, Votes 2 and 3
Resolutions reported *April* 23

Considered in Committee *April* 23, 494—CIVIL SERVICE ESTIMATES — CLASS I. — PUBLIC WORKS AND BUILDINGS, Votes 18, 19, 21 to 24
Resolutions reported *April* 24, 779
Resolution 1; after short debate, A. 61, N. 21; M. 40 (D. L. 128)
Subsequent Resolutions agreed to

*Naval and Military Operations*, 1885-6 (*Vote of Credit*)

Questions, The Earl of Carnarvon; Answers, Earl Granville *April* 20, 129; Ministerial Statement, Earl Granville; short debate thereon *April* 21, 284

Estimate presented (*Mr. Gladstone*) *April* 21, 317; after short debate, Estimate referred to the Committee of Supply, and to be printed [No. 155]

*Military Expedition to Egypt—The Vote for Charges*, Question, Mr. Labouchere; Answer, The Marquess of Hartington *April* 23, 481

Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair" (*Mr. Gladstone*) *April* 27, 825

Amendt. to leave out from "That," add "in the opinion of this House, it is desirable that the Vote of Credit to be submitted in Committee of Supply on account of the Soudan Expedition should be considered separately from the Vote of Credit to be submitted on account of other Military and Naval expenditure" (*Mr. Arthur O'Connor*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after debate, Question put; A. 229, N. 186; M. 43 (D. L. 129)

Considered in Committee *April* 27, 847—VOTE OF CREDIT

£11,000,000, Naval and Military Operations, 1885-6 (Vote of Credit); Question put, and agreed to

CIVIL SERVICE ESTIMATES—CLASS II.—SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF CIVIL DEPARTMENTS, Votes 1 to 3

Resolutions reported *April* 28, 1029
First Resolution postponed
Subsequent Resolutions agreed to

Personal Explanation, Mr. Gladstone; Observations, Sir Stafford Northcote *April* 30, 1127

Postponed Resolution [27th April] further considered

Motion made, and Question proposed, "That a sum, not exceeding £11,000,000, be granted to Her Majesty, beyond the ordinary grants of Parliament, to defray the Charge

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SUPPLY—*cont.*

which may come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March, 1886, for (1) Remaining Charges in the Soudan and Upper Egypt; (2) Special Naval and Military Preparations" *May* 4,
297] 1523

Amendt. proposed, to leave out "£11,000,000," insert "£7,000,000" (*Mr. Labouchere*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That £11,000,000 stand part of the proposed Resolution;" after debate, Question put; A. 79, N. 29; M. 50 (D. L. 151)

Question proposed, "That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution," 1553; after debate, Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Chaplin*); after long debate, Question put; A. 114, N. 181; M. 67 (D. L. 152)

Original Question again proposed, 1605; Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Baron H. De Worms*); after short debate, Question put; A. 111, N. 169; M. 58 (D. L. 153)

Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Sidney Herbert*); after short debate, Question put; A. 106, N. 164; M. 58 (D. L. 154)

Original Question again proposed, 1616; Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Mr. Brodrick*); after short debate, Question put, and negatived; original Question put; A. 130, N. 20; M. 110; (D. L. 155)

Considered in Committee *May* 7, 1869—ARMY ESTIMATES—Votes 2 to 6

298] Resolutions reported *May* 11, 291
Second Resolution postponed
Postponed Resolution considered *May* 21, 1125
(2.) "That a sum, not exceeding £38,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the Charge for the Administration of Military Law, which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1886;" after short debate, Resolution agreed to

Considered in Committee *May* 18, 723—CIVIL SERVICES AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS

Moved, "That a further sum, not exceeding £3,360,500, be granted on account, &c"

Moved, "That a further sum, not exceeding £1,360,500, be granted, &c." (*Lord Randolph Churchill*); after debate, Moved, "That the Motion be withdrawn;" after further short debate, Question put; A. 11, N. 74; M. 63 (D. L. 195)

Original Question again proposed, 768; after long debate, original Question put, and agreed to
Resolution reported *May* 21

Considered in Committee *June* 4, 1194—CIVIL SERVICE ESTIMATES — CLASS II. — SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF CIVIL DEPARTMENTS, Votes 4 to 13
Resolutions reported *July* 6

Considered in Committee *July* 6, 1712—CIVIL SERVICE ESTIMATES—CLASS II.—SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF CIVIL DEPARTMENTS, Votes 14 to 36, 38 to 41; CLASS V.—FOREIGN AND COLONIAL SERVICES—Votes 5, 7 and 9
Resolutions reported, and, after short debate, agreed to *July* 7, 1934

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Supply—*cont.*

298] Considered in Committee *July* 7—£30,000, Marriage Portion of Her Royal Highness the Princess Beatrice — Civil Service Estimates—Class III.—Law and Justice —Votes 1 to 3

Resolutions reported *July* 8

299] Considered in Committee *July* 8, 4—Navy Estimates—Votes 3 to 17 inclusive

Resolutions reported *July* 9, 211

Res. 1 to 3 agreed to

(4.) £1,639,300 (Dockyards and Naval Yards at Home and Abroad); after short debate, Res. agreed to

Res. 5 to 13, inclusive, agreed to

(14.) £830,400 (Half-Pay, Reserved, and Retired Pay to Officers of the Navy and Marines), 213; Res. read a second time

Amendt. to leave out "£830,400," insert "£830,120" (*Sir George Campbell*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That '£830,400' &c.;" after short debate, Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Courtney*); after further short debate, Question put, and agreed to; Debate adjourned

Subsequent Resolutions agreed to

Debate resumed *July* 13, 548; after debate, Question put; A. 107, N. 55; M. 52 (D. L. 222)

Moved, "That the House do agree with the Committee in the said Resolution;" after short debate, Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Causton*); after further short debate, Motion withdrawn; original Question put, and agreed to

Moved, "That the Chairman do report Progress, and ask leave to sit again" (*Sir Henry Holland*) *July* 10, 381; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to

Considered in Committee *July* 13, 437—Army (Supplementary); Army Estimates—Votes 7 to 9

Resolutions reported *July* 14

Considered in Committee *July* 14, 665—Civil Service Estimates—Class IV.—Education, Science, and Art, Votes 1, 2, 11; Class III. —Law and Justice, Votes 4 to 15, 17 to 19; Class VI.—Non-Effective and Charitable Services; Vote 1

Resolutions reported *July* 15, 879

First Eighteen Res. agreed to; Nineteenth Res. postponed

Postponed Res. considered, and, after short debate, agreed to *July* 20, 1332

Considered in Committee *July* 15, 799—Civil Service Estimates — Class I. — Public Works and Buildings, Vote 4; Class VI.—Non-Effective and Charitable Services, Votes 2 to 4, 7 & 8; Class IV.—Education, Science, and Art, Votes 4 to 9

Resolutions reported *July* 16

Considered in Committee *July* 20, 1214—Civil Service Estimates — Class I.—Public Works and Buildings, Vote 20; Class II. —Salaries and Expenses of Civil Departments, Votes 37, 38; Class III.—Law and Justice; Votes 21 to 25, 28 & 32; Class IV. —Education, Science, and Art, Votes 15 to 17 & 19

Resolutions reported *July* 22

299] Considered in Committee *July* 22, 1518—Civil Service Estimates—Class III.—Law and Justice, Votes 20 & 26; Class IV.—Education, Science, and Art, Vote 10

Resolutions reported *July* 24

Considered in Committee *July* 24, 1814—Civil Service Estimates—Class III.—Law and Justice, Votes 27, 29, & 31; Class VI.—Non-Effective and Charitable Services, Votes 5, 6 & 9; Class VII.—Miscellaneous — £15,000, Registration of Voters (Ireland)

Resolutions reported *July* 27

300] Considered in Committee *July* 27, 67—Army Estimates, Votes 10 to 25; Civil Service Estimates—Class III.—Law and Justice, Vote 16; Class IV.—Education, Science, and Art, Votes 3, 12, 13; Class VII.—Miscellaneous, Votes 1, 2; Afghan War £250,000, Grant in Aid; Revenue Departments, Votes 1, 2, 4, & 5; Civil Service Supplementary Estimates — Class I.—Public Works and Buildings, Votes 2, 15a, 18, 24; Class III.—Law and Justice, Votes 7, 19; Class V.—Foreign and Colonial Services, Vote 5; Class VII. — Miscellaneous, Votes 3, 4, 5

Resolutions reported *July* 28, 380

Res. 1 to 29, inclusive, agreed to

(30.) £16,000 (Supplementary) (in Aid of the Cost of Maintenance of Disturnpiked and Main Roads in England and Wales); after short debate, Res. agreed to

Remaining Resolutions agreed to

Considered in Committee *July* 28, 306—Civil Service Estimates—Class IV.—Education, Science, and Art, Vote 18; Class III.—Law and Justice, Vote 30

Resolutions reported *July* 29

Considered in Committee *July* 29, 385—Civil Service Estimates—Class IV.—Education, Science, and Art, Vote 14; Class V. — Foreign and Colonial Services, Vote 6; Revenue Departments, Vote 3; Civil Service Estimates—Class I.—Public Works and Buildings, £500 (Supplementary) Gordon Monument

Resolutions reported *July* 30

Res. 1 (£466,303, Salaries and Expenses of the Commissioners of National Education in Ireland), 527; after short debate, Res. agreed to

Res. 2 (£24,690, South Africa and St. Helena), 531; after short debate, Res. agreed to

Res. 3 (£4,254,659, Post Office), 545; after short debate, Res. agreed to

Res. 4 (£500, Supplementary, Gordon Monument), 548; after short debate, Res. agreed to

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## SUMMARY.

### Appropriation of Grants. 1884-85.

| | | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Deficiencies, 1883-84 ... ... | | 8,045 | 5 | 7 |
| Supplementary, 1884-85 ... | | 505,339 | 0 | 0 |
| Navy (Supplementary), 1884-85, Operations in Egypt and the Soudan ... ... ... | | 706,200 | 0 | 0 |
| Navy (Supplementary), 1884-85, Operations in Bechuanaland | | 50,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Army (Supplementary), 1884-85, Operations in Egypt and the Soudan ... ... ... | | 2,234,500 | 0 | 0 |
| Army (Supplementary), 1884-85, Expedition to Bechuanaland | | 675,000 | 0 | 0 |
| | | 4,179,084 | 5 | 7 |
| **1885-86** | | | | |
| Navy Services... ... ... | | 12,386,500 | 0 | 0 |
| Army Services... ... ... | | 17,750,700 | 0 | 0 |
| Civil Services—viz.: | £ | | | |
| I. Public Works and Buildings ... | 1,864,196 | | | |
| II. Salaries, &c. Civil Departments ... | 2,464,099 | | | |
| III. Law and Justice | 6,363,017 | | | |
| IV. Education, Science, and Art ... | 5,244,280 | | | |
| V. Foreign and Colonial Services ... | 568,913 | | | |
| VI. Non-Effective, &c. Services ... | 1,216,000 | | | |
| VII. Miscellaneous | 94,460 | | | |
| | ——— | 17,814,965 | 0 | 0 |
| Revenue Departments, &c. ... | | 10,249,146 | 0 | 0 |
| Afghan War (Grant in Aid) ... | | 250,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Naval and Military Operations (Vote of Credit) ... ... | | 11,000,000 | 0 | 0 |
| H.R.H the Princess Beatrice (Marriage Portion) ... | | 30,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Total ... | | £73,660,395 | 5 | 7 |

## SUMMARY.

### Ways and Means.

### Grants out of the Consolidated Fund.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| For the service of the years ending 31st March 1884 and 1885 ; viz. | | | |
| Under Act 48 Vic. cap. 2 ... | 2,049,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Under Act 48 Vic. cap. 6 ... | 2,130,084 | 5 | 7 |
| For the service of the year ending 31st March 1886 :— | | | |
| Under Act 48 Vic. cap. 6 ... | 10,804,750 | 0 | 0 |
| Under Act 48 Vict. c. 14 ... | 13,315,334 | 0 | 0 |
| Under this Act ... ... | 45,361,227 | 0 | 0 |
| Total .. | £73,660,395 | 5 | 7 |

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## DEFICIENCIES, 1883-84.

| | Total of Vote. £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Committee *Mar* 16—Report *Mar* 19 | | | |
| Civil Services, viz., | | | |
| Class I. | | | |
| (27.) Diplomatic and Consular Buildings ... ... ... | 107 | 17 | 6 |
| Class II. | | | |
| (7.) Privy Council ... ... | 81 | 10 | 5 |
| (32.) Registrar General's Office, Scotland ... ... ... | 3 | 4 | 3 |
| Class III. | | | |
| (33.) Constabulary, Ireland ... | 7,780 | 8 | 5 |

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*Supply—Deficiencies*, 1883-84—*cont.*

| | Total of Vote. £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Class VI. | | | |
| (1.) Superannuations ... | 72 | 5 | 0 |
| Total ... | £8,045 | 5 | 7 |

Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £8,045 5*s.* 7*d.*, to make good Excesses, be granted, &c."

Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £7,065 5*s.* 7*d.* &c." (*Mr. A. O'Connor*); Question put, and negatived; Vote agreed to [295] 1406

Res. reported *Mar* 19, and, after long debate, agreed to [295] 1806

*Supply*—cont.

## SUPPLEMENTARY, 1884-5.

### COMMITTEE *Feb* 20—REPORT *Feb* 23

### CIVIL SERVICES.

### CLASS I.—PUBLIC WORKS AND BUILDINGS.

| | Total of Vote. |
|---|---|
| | £ |
| Surveys of the United Kingdom ... | 5,000 |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to [294] 967 | |
| Natural History Museum ... ... | 120 |
| Harbours under the Board of Trade | 3,570 |
| Public Buildings, Ireland | |
| Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £7,500, be granted, &c." | |
| Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £6,923, &c." (*Mr. Biggar*); after debate, Question put, and negatived; Vote agreed to [294] 967 | 7,500 |
| Res. reported *Feb* 23 | |
| Amendt. to leave out "£7,500," insert "£6,923" (*Mr. Biggar*); Question put; A. 56, N. 12; M. 44; Res. agreed to [294] 1141 | |
| Diplomatic and Consular Buildings | |
| Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £50,000, be granted, &c." | |
| Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £40,000, &c." (*Dr. Cameron*); after debate, Question put; A. 22, N. 51; M. 29; Vote agreed to ... [294] 972 | 50,000 |

### CLASS II.—SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF CIVIL DEPARTMENTS.

| | Total of Vote. |
|---|---|
| House of Commons [294] 981 | 536 |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to | |
| Council Office [294] 982 | 796 |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to | |
| Charity Commission | |
| Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £2,825, be granted, &c." | |
| Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £825, &c." (*Mr. Jesse Collings*); after debate, Motion withdrawn; Vote agreed to [294] 983 | 2,825 |
| Local Government Board [294] 994 | 3,720 |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to | |
| Patent Office [294] 994 | 6,730 |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to | |
| Stationery and Printing [294] 997 | 15,383 |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to | |
| Fishery Board, Scotland | |
| Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £1,271, be granted, &c.;" Moved to report Progress (*Mr. Sexton*); after debate, Motion withdrawn; Vote agreed to [294] 998 | 1,271 |
| Registrar General, Scotland ... | 75 |

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*Supply*—cont.

### CLASS III.—LAW AND JUSTICE.

### COMMITTEE *Mar* 5—REPORT *Mar* 6

| | Total of Vote. |
|---|---|
| | £ |
| Police, Counties and Boroughs .. | 3,000 |
| Reformatory, &c. Schools, Great Britain ... ... [295] 179 | 4,700 |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to | |
| Bankruptcy Court, Ireland [295] 180 | 96 |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to | |
| Escort and Conveyance of Prisoners, Ireland ... ... [295] 183 | 2,050 |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to | |

### CLASS IV.—EDUCATION, SCIENCE, AND ART.

| | Total of Vote. |
|---|---|
| Public Education, England and Wales ... ... ... ... | 165,708 |
| Science and Art Department... ... | 7,000 |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to [295] 187 | |
| National Gallery | |
| Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £83,520, be granted, &c.;" after long debate, Question put; A. 131, N. 30; M. 101 [295] 187 | 83,520 |
| London University ... ... ... | 30 |
| Public Education, Scotland ... ... | 9,703 |

### COMMITTEE *Mar* 12—REPORT *Mar* 13

| | Total of Vote. |
|---|---|
| Public Education, Ireland [295] 894 | 23,400 |
| After long debate, Vote agreed to | |

### CLASS V.—FOREIGN AND COLONIAL SERVICES.

| | Total of Vote. |
|---|---|
| Diplomatic Services [295] 928 | 14,750 |
| After long debate, Vote agreed to | |
| Grants in Aid of Expenditure in certain Colonies ... ... ... | 2,050 |
| South Africa and St. Helena .. | 6,200 |

### CLASS VI.—NON-EFFECTIVE AND CHARITABLE SERVICES.

| | Total of Vote. |
|---|---|
| Superannuations [295] 982 | 17,000 |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to | |
| Pauper Lunatics, Ireland | |
| Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £890, &c." | |
| Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £690, &c." (*Mr. Biggar*); after long debate, Question put; A. 22, N. 61; M. 39; Vote agreed to [295] 985 | 890 |
| Redemption of Consolidated Fund Allowances ... [295] 1031 | 107 |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to | |

### CLASS VII.—MISCELLANEOUS.

| | Total of Vote. |
|---|---|
| Temporary Commissions [295] 1032 | 3,800 |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to | |

### COMMITTEE *Mar* 16—REPORT *Mar* 19

Repayments to Civil Contingencies Fund

Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £8,409, &c."

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*Supply*—cont. — Total of Vote.

Moved, "That the Item of £548 9*s.* 4*d.* (Fees paid on the Installation of His Royal Highness Prince George Frederick Ernest Albert of Wales, as Knight of the Garter), be omitted, &c." (*Mr. Labouchere*); after short debate, Question put; A. 25, N. 56; M. 31

Original Question again proposed

Moved, "That the Item of £360 (Special Packets for the conveyance of Distinguished Persons), be omitted, &c." (*Mr. Labouchere*); after short debate, Question put; A. 30, N. 54; M. 24

Original Question again proposed

Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £7,409, &c." (*Mr. Sexton*); after debate, Question put; A. 20, N. 55; M. 35; Vote agreed to [295] 1342 — £ 8,409

Total for Civil Services ... £449,939

REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

COMMITTEE *Mar* 12—REPORT *Mar* 13

Inland Revenue ... ... ... 15,400

Telegraphs ... ... ... ... 20,000

Total for Revenue Departments ... £35,400

CLASS VII.—MISCELLANEOUS

Grant to Family of General Gordon; after short debate, Vote agreed to [295] 1036 — 20,000

Resolution reported *Mar* 13, and, after debate, agreed to [295] 1184

Grand Total ... £505,339

NAVY (SUPPLEMENTARY), 1884-5

COMMITTEE *Nov* 13—REPORT *Nov* 14

OPERATIONS IN EGYPT AND THE SOUDAN

Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £324,000, be granted, &c. additional Expenditure, Military Operations in Egypt;" after short debate, Question put; A. 66, N. 26; M. 40 [293] 1705 — £ 324,000

COMMITTEE *Mar* 5—REPORT *Mar* 6

Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £330,000, be granted, &c. Military Operations in Egypt (Ship-building);" after debate, Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £80,000, &c." (*Mr. Labouchere*); Question put; A. 22, N. 66; M. 44; Vote agreed to ... [295] 133 — 330,000

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*Supply*—cont. — Total of Vote.

COMMITTEE *Mar* 12—REPORT *Mar* 13

Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £52,200, be granted, &c.;" after short debate, Vote agreed to [295] 1039 — £ 52,200

Total .. £706,200

COMMITTEE *Nov* 13—REPORT *Nov* 20

OPERATIONS IN BECHUANALAND ... £50,000

ARMY (SUPPLEMENTARY), 1884-5

COMMITTEE *Nov* 13—REPORT *Nov* 14

OPERATIONS IN EGYPT AND THE SOUDAN

Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £1,000,000, be granted, &c., additional Expenditure, Expedition up the Nile;" after long debate, Question put; A. 73, N. 17; M. 56 [293] 1599 — £ 1,000,000

COMMITTEE *Mar* 9—REPORT *Mar* 10

Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £942,000, be granted, &c., Military Operations in the Soudan"

Moved, "That the Item (Vote 13) of £235,000, for Works and Buildings, be reduced by £100,000" (*Sir Joseph Pease*); after long debate, Question put; A. 56; N. 173; M. 117 [295] 511 — 942,000

COMMITTEE *Mar* 12—REPORT *Mar* 13

Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £292,500, be granted, &c.;" after short debate, Vote agreed to ... ... [295] 1039 — 292,500

Total ... £2,234,500

COMMITTEE *Nov* 13—REPORT *Nov* 20

EXPEDITION TO BECHUANALAND

Moved, "That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £675,000, be granted, &c."

After long debate, Question put; A. 78, N. 31; M. 47 [293] 1655 — £675,000

NAVY ESTIMATES, 1885-86.

COMMITTEE *Mar* 16—REPORT *Mar* 19

Departmental Statement of the Secretary to the Admiralty (*Sir Thomas Brassey*) in moving the first Vote — "That 59,000 Men and Boys be employed for the Sea and Coastguard Service for the year ending the 31st day of March, 1886, including 12,000 Royal Marines" — *Numbers*

After debate, Vote agreed to [295] 1305 — 59,000

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*Supply*—*cont.* — Total of Vote. £

(1.) Wages &c. to Seamen and Marines 2,728,100

COMMITTEE *April* 20—REPORT *April* 23

(2.) Victuals and Clothing for Marines 934,400
After long debate, Vote agreed to [297] 182

(3.) Admiralty Office ... ... 194,300
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £194,300, be granted, &c."
Comm. R.P. [297] 280
*Comm. July* 8—Question again proposed
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £193,469, be granted, &c." (*Dr. Cameron*); after short debate, Motion withdrawn; after further short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 4
Res. reported *July* 9

COMMITTEE *July* 8

(4.) Coast Guard Service, Royal Naval Reserves, &c. ... ... 203,800
After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 41

(5.) Scientific Branch ... ... 112,100
After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 44

(6.) Dockyards and Naval Yards at Home and Abroad .. .. 1,639,300
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £1,639,300, be granted, &c."
After debate, Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £1,599,300, &c." (*Mr. Labouchere*); after short debate, Motion withdrawn
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £1,636,300, &c." (*Mr. Labouchere*); A. 37, N. 128; M. 91; Vote agreed to [299] 45

(7.) Victualling Yards at Home and Abroad ... ... ... 71,300

(8.) Medical Establishments at Home and Abroad ... ... ... 67,600

(9.) Marine Divisions ... ... 21,700
After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 68

(10.) Naval Stores for the Building, Repair, and Outfit of the Fleet and Coast Guard, Machinery and Ships built by Contract, &c.:
Section I. Naval Stores ... 1,348,000
Section II. Machinery and Ships built by Contract, &c. 1,926,000
After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 69

(11.) New Works, Buildings, Yard Machinery, and Repairs ... ... 654,900
After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 77

(12.) Medicines and Medical Stores ... 61,800

(13.) Martial Law, &c. ... ... 10,000

(14.) Miscellaneous Services ... 137,300

Total for the Effective Service ... 10,110,600

(15.) Half Pay, Reserved Half Pay, and Retired Pay to Officers of the Navy and Marines

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*Supply*—cont. — Total of Vote. £

Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £830,400, be granted, &c."
Moved to report Progress (*Sir G. Campbell*); after debate, Motion withdrawn; Vote agreed to [299] 77 830,400

(16.) Military and Civil Pensions and Allowances:
Section I. Military Pensions and Allowances ... ... 905,200
Section II. Civil Pensions and Allowances ... ... 330,300

Total for the Naval Service ...12,176,500

For the Service of other Departments of the Government:

(17.) Army Department (Conveyance of Troops) ... ... ... 210,000
After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 83
Resns. reported *July* 9 [299] 211
Vote 15, "That a sum, not exceeding £830,400, be granted, &c."
Moved to leave out "£830,400," and insert "£830,120" (*Sir G. Campbell*); after debate, Debate adj. [299] 213
Vote 15—Adjourned Debate resumed *July* 13; after long debate, A. 107, N. 55; M. 52; Res. agreed to [299] 548

Total NAVY ESTIMATES ...£12,386,500

## ARMY ESTIMATES, 1885-6.

COMMITTEE *Mar* 19

Departmental Statement of the Secretary of State for War (*The Marquess of Hartington*) in moving the Army Estimates

Moved, "That a number of Land Forces, not exceeding 142,194, all ranks, be maintained for the Service of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland at Home and Abroad, excluding H.M.'s Indian Possessions, during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1886"

After long debate, Question put, and agreed to [295] 1733

I.—NUMBERS. — *Numbers*

(A.) Total number of Men on the Home and Colonial Establishments of the Army, exclusive of those serving in India ... ... 142,194

II.—EFFECTIVE SERVICES. — Total of Vote. £

(1.) Pay of the General Staff, Regimental Pay and Allowances, and other Charges ... ... 4,543,000
After debate, *Comm.* R.P.

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*Supply*—cont. Total of Vote.

Resns. reported *Mar* 20—Res. 2, Amendt. proposed, to leave out "£4,543,000" insert "£4,043,000" (*Mr. Labouchere*); after debate, Question put, "That £4,543,000 stand part of said Res.;" A. 67, N. 18; M. 49 ... [296] 172

Committee *May* 7 £

(2.) Divine Service ... ... 58,100

(3.) Administration of Military Law
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £38,000, be granted, &c."
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £36,000, &c." (*General Alexander*); after long debate, Motion withdrawn; Vote agreed to [297] 1869 38,000

(4.) Medical Establishments and Services ... ... [297] 1918 320,500
After short debate, Vote agreed to

(5.) Militia Pay and Allowances
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £526,900, be granted, &c."
After short debate, Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £519,000, &c." (*General Alexander*); after debate, Motion withdrawn; Vote agreed to [297] 1923 526,900

(6.) Yeomanry Cavalry Pay and Allowances
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £72,500, be granted, &c.;" after short debate; A. 80, N. 27; M. 53; Vote agreed to [297] 1933 72,500

Resns. reported *May* 11; 2nd Res. postponed; remaining Resns. agreed to [298] 291

2nd Res. again considered *May* 21, and, after short debate, agreed to [298] 1125

Committee *July* 13—Report *July* 14

(7.) Volunteer Corps Pay and Allowances
After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 480 606,000

(8.) Army Reserve Force Pay and Allowances (including Enrolled Pensioners)
After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 498 384,500

(9.) Commissariat, Transport, and Ordnance Store Establishments, Wages, &c.
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £464,000, be granted, &c."
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £463,000, &c." (*Dr. Cameron*); after long debate, Question put; A. 48, N. 121; M. 73
Original Question again proposed; Moved to report Progress (*Mr. M'Coan*); after debate, Motion withdrawn: after long debate, Vote agreed to [299] 546 464,000

Committee *July* 27—Report *July* 28

(10.) Provisions, Forage, Fuel, Transport, and other Services

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*Supply*—cont. Total of Vote.

£
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £3,398,000 be granted, &c."
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £3,038,000, &c." (*Sir G. Campbell*); after short debate, Motion withdrawn; Vote agreed to [300] 67 3,398,000

(11.) Clothing Establishments, Services, and Supplies
After short debate, Vote agreed to [300] 110 801,500

(12.) Supply, Manufacture, and Repair of Warlike and other Stores
After short debate, Vote agreed to [300] 118 2,227,800

(13.) Superintending Establishment of, and Expenditure for, Works, Buildings, and Repairs, at Home and Abroad ... ... ... 843,800

(14.) Establishments for Military Education
After short debate, Vote agreed to [300] 149 128,500

(15.) Miscellaneous Effective Services
After short debate, Vote agreed to [300] 154 51,700

(16.) Salaries and Miscellaneous Charges of the War Office
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £248,100, be granted, &c."
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £246,500, &c." (*Mr. Labouchere*); after short debate, A. 28, N. 95; M. 67; Vote agreed to [300] 168 248,100

Total Effective Services £14,782,900

III.—Non-Effective Services.

£
(17.) Rewards for Distinguished Services, &c. ... ... ... 18,500
(18.) Half-Pay ... ... ... 78,000
(19.) Retired Pay, Gratuities, and Payments allowed by Army Purchase Commissioners ... ... 1,194,300
(20.) Widows' Pensions and Compassionate Allowances
After short debate, Vote agreed to [300] 171 124,800
(21.) Pensions for Wounds ... 18,500
(22.) Chelsea and Kilmainham Hospitals (In-Pensions) ... ... 33,100
(23.) Out-Pensions ... ... 1,330,000
(24.) Superannuation, Compensation, and Compassionate Allowances
After short debate, Vote agreed to [300] 174 190,700
(25.) Retired Allowances to Officers of the Militia, Yeomanry, and Volunteer Forces [300] 174
After short debate, Vote agreed to 49,900

*Losses Written off as Irrecoverable, &c.* ... ... —

Total Non-Effective Services £3,037,800

Total Effective and Non-Effective Services ... ... £17,750,700

*Supply*—cont. Total of Vote.

## ESTIMATES, &c. CIVIL SERVICE AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS 1885-86.

### CLASS I.—PUBLIC WORKS AND BUILDINGS.

| GREAT BRITAIN: COMMITTEE *Mar* 30—REPORT *April* 9 | Vote to Complete. | Total Vote for 1885-86. |
|---|---|---|
| (1.) Royal Palaces Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £29,057, be granted to complete, &c." Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £28,623, &c." (*Mr. Biggar*); A. 23, N. 66; M. 43 Original Question put, and agreed to; Vote agreed to [296] 1053 | £<br>29,057 | £<br>35,057 |
| (2.) Marlborough House | 1,120 | 7,120 |
| (3.) Royal Parks and Pleasure Grounds Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £91,369, be granted to complete, &c." Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £90,346, &c." (*Mr. Dillwyn*); after debate, A. 18, N. 57; M. 39; Vote agreed to [296] 1061 | 91,369 | 111,369 |
| COMMITTEE *July* 15—REPORT *July* 16 | | |
| (4.) Houses of Parliament Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £35,488, be granted to complete, &c." Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £27,488, &c." (*Mr. M. Henry*); after long debate, A. 42, N. 196; M. 154; Vote agreed to [299] 799 | 35,488 | 51,488 |
| COMMITTEE *April* 9—REPORT *April* 10 | | |
| (5.) Public Buildings After short debate, Vote agreed to [296] 1167 | 129,088 | 159,088 |
| COMMITTEE *July* 29—REPORT *July* 30 | | |
| (5A.) Monument to General Gordon ... ... | | 500 |
| COMMITTEE *April* 9— | | |
| *Supply*—cont. | Vote to Complete. | Total Vote for 1885-86. |
| (6.) New Admiralty and War Office Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £7,000, be granted to complete, &c." Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £6,000, &c." (*Mr. Beresford Hope*); after debate, A. 26, N. 45; M. 19; Vote agreed to ... [296] 1167 | £<br>7,000 | £<br>10,000 |
| (7.) Furniture of Public Offices After short debate, Vote agreed to [296] 1216 | 15,120 | 17,120 |
| (8.) Revenue Department Buildings After short debate, Vote agreed to [296] 1225 | 227,373 | 277,373 |
| (9.) County Court Buildings After short debate, Vote agreed to [296] 1229 | 26,210 | 32,210 |
| (10.) Metropolitan Police Courts After short debate, Vote agreed to [296] 1240 | 5,012 | 6,512 |
| (11.) Sheriff Court Houses, Scotland After short debate, Vote agreed to [296] 1244 | 8,000 | 10,000 |
| (12.) Surveys of the United Kingdom After short debate, Vote agreed to [296] 1249 | 210,500 | 260,500 |
| (13.) Science and Art Department Buildings | 14,363 | 17,363 |
| (14.) British Museum Buildings Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £7,446, be granted to complete, &c." Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £6,446, &c." (*Mr. Molloy*); after debate, Motion withdrawn; Vote agreed to [296] 1260 | 7,446 | 9,446 |
| (15.) Harbours, &c. under Board of Trade After short debate, Vote agreed to [296] 1274 | 13,002 | 15,502 |
| (15A.) New Harbour at Peterhead ... ... | | 16,050 |
| (16.) Rates on Government Property (Great Britain and Ireland) ... | 135,985 | 215,985 |
| (17.) Metropolitan Fire Brigade After short debate, Question put; A. 65, N. 11; M. 54 Resns. reported *Apl* 10, and, after short debate, agreed to [296] 1431 | 7,500 | 10,000 |
| COMMITTEE *April* 23 | | |
| (18.) Disturnpiked and Main Roads (England and Wales) | | |

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*Supply*—cont. — Vote to Complete. £ — Total Vote for 1885-86. £

After debate, Question put; A. 144, N. 23; M. 121; Vote agreed to [297] 494 — 195,000 — 231,000
Res. reported *April* 24
Moved, "That this House doth agree, &c.;" A. 61, N. 21; M. 40 [297] 779

(19.) Disturnpiked Roads (Scotland)
After long debate, Question put; A. 78, N. 26; M. 52; Vote agreed to — 30,000 — 35,000
Res. reported *April* 24, and agreed to

IRELAND:

(20.) Public Buildings
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £191,784, be granted to complete, &c.;" after debate, Motion withdrawn [297] 572
£30,000 taken on account
*Comm. July* 20—After long debate, Vote agreed to [299] 1214 — 161,784 — 221,784
Res. reported *July* 22, and agreed to

COMMITTEE *April* 23—
REPORT *April* 24

(21.) Science and Art Buildings (Dublin) — 29,000 — 31,000
(22.) Royal University Buildings
After short debate, Vote agreed to [297] 596 — 23,428 — 27,428

ABROAD:

(23.) Lighthouses Abroad — 16,398 — 18,398
(24.) Diplomatic and Consular Buildings — 25,103 — 36,903

Total Civil Services Class I. ... £1,864,196

SUPPLEMENTARY (included in the above Sum)
COMMITTEE *July* 27—
REPORT *July* 28

(2.) Marlborough House — £
After short debate, Vote agreed to [300] 184 — 5,000
(15A.) New Harbour at Peterhead ... — 16,050
After short debate, Vote agreed to [300] 185
(18.) Disturnpiked Roads, &c. (England and Wales) ... ... ... — 16,000
(24.) Diplomatic and Consular Buildings ... ... ... ... — 6,800

*Supply*—cont. — Total of Vote. £

COMMITTEE *July* 29—
(5A.) Monument to General Gordon — 500
Res. reported *July* 30, and, after short debate, agreed to [300] 548

Total .. ... £44,350

CLASS II.—SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF CIVIL DEPARTMENTS.
ENGLAND: — Vote to Complete. £ — Total Vote for 1885-86. £

COMMITTEE *April* 27—
(1.) House of Lords Offices
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £37,643, be granted, to complete, &c."
Moved, "That Item £810, Salary of Librarian, House of Lords, be reduced by £310" (*Mr. Callan*); after debate, A. 17, N. 92; M. 75
Moved, "That Item £350, Witnesses (Committees), be omitted" (*Mr. Parnell*); after debate, A. 20, N. 108; M. 88
Vote agreed to ... [297] 866 — 37,643 — 43,643
(2.) House of Commons Offices
After debate, Vote agreed to [297] 890 — 45,772 — 51,772
(3.) Treasury, including Parliamentary Counsel
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £50,445, be granted, to complete, &c."
Moved to report Progress (*Colonel Nolan*); after debate, A. 22, N. 101; M. 79
Original Question put, and agreed to [297] 931
Resolutions reported *April* 28, and, after debate, agreed to ... [297] 1029 — 50,445 — 60,445

COMMITTEE *June* 4—
REPORT *July* 6

(4.) Home Office and Subordinate Departments
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £71,323, be granted, to complete, &c."
Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £70,973, &c." (*Mr. Onslow*); after short debate, Motion withdrawn
Original Question put, and, after long debate, agreed to [297] 1194 — 71,323 — 96,323

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| *Supply*—cont. | Vote to Complete. £ | Total Vote for 1885-86. £ |
|---|---|---|
| (5.) Foreign Office ... | 51,373 | 71,373 |
| (6.) Colonial Office<br>After debate, Vote agreed to [297] 1247 | 27,063 | 40,063 |
| (7.) Privy Council Office and Subordinate Departments ... | 35,883 | 46,883 |
| (8.) Board of Trade and Subordinate Departments<br>After debate, Vote agreed to [297] 1268 | 71,178 | 106,178 |
| (9.) Bankruptcy Department of the Board of Trade<br>After debate, Vote agreed to [297] 1283 | 664 | 1,164 |
| (10.) Charity Commission (including Endowed Schools Department)<br>After debate, Vote agreed to [297] 1287 | 26,007 | 39,007 |
| (11.) Civil Service Commission<br>After debate, Vote agreed to [297] 1291 | 21,739 | 32,739 |
| (12.) Exchequer and Audit Department<br>Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £40,189, be granted, to complete, &c."<br>Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £39,189, &c." (*Dr. Cameron*); after short debate, Question put; A. 15, N. 41; M. 26; Vote agreed to [297] 1315 | 40,189 | 59,189 |
| (13.) Friendly Societies Registry<br>After short debate, Vote agreed to [297] 1316 | 5,622 | 8,122 |
| COMMITTEE *July* 6—REPORT *July* 7 | | |
| (14.) Land Commission for England<br>After short debate, Vote agreed to [298] 1712 | 16,021 | 23,021 |
| (15.) Local Government Board<br>After short debate, Vote agreed to [298] 1713 | 361,254 | 441,254 |
| (16.) Lunacy Commission<br>After short debate, Vote agreed to [298] 1721 | 10,725 | 15,225 |
| (17.) Mint (including Coinage) ... | 44,333 | 69,333 |
| (18.) National Debt Office | 9,200 | 14,700 |
| (19.) Patent Office<br>After short debate, Vote agreed to [298] 1732 | 31,997 | 45,997 |
| (20.) Paymaster General's Office<br>After short debate, Vote agreed to [298] 1733 | 17,774 | 26,274 |

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| *Supply*—cont. | Vote to Complete. £ | Total Vote for 1885-86. £ |
|---|---|---|
| (21.) Public Works Loan Commission<br>After short debate, Vote agreed to [298] 1734 | 6,747 | 9,747 |
| (22.) Record Office ... | 15,288 | 22,288 |
| (23.) Registrar General's Office (England) ... | 31,887 | 48,887 |
| (24.) Stationery Office and Printing | 422,097 | 562,097 |
| (25.) Woods, Forests, &c., Office of<br>After short debate, Vote agreed to [298] 1741 | 16,852 | 23,852 |
| (26.) Works and Public Buildings, Office of ... | 35,529 | 48,529 |
| (27.) Mercantile Marine Fund, Grant in Aid ... | | 40,000 |
| (28.) Secret Service ... | 25,000 | 50,000 |
| SCOTLAND: | | |
| (29.) Exchequer and other Offices ... ... | 4,800 | 6,300 |
| (30.) Fishery Board<br>After short debate, Vote agreed to [298] 1742 | 18,095 | 23,095 |
| (31.) Lunacy Commission | 4,469 | 5,969 |
| (32.) Registrar General's Office ... ... | 4,893 | 5,893 |
| (33.) Board of Supervision ... ... | 24,959 | 28,959 |
| IRELAND: | | |
| (34.) Lord Lieutenant's Household<br>Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £5,469, be granted, to complete, &c."<br>After debate, Question put; A. 89, N. 19; M. 70; Vote agreed to [298] 1745 | 5,469 | 7,469 |
| (35.) Chief Secretary's Office, &c.<br>After short debate, Vote agreed to [298] 1746 | 32,382 | 43,382 |
| (36.) Charitable Donations and Bequests Office ... ... | 1,552 | 2,152 |
| (37.) Local Government Board<br>Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £119,978, be granted, to complete, &c."<br>After short debate, Motion withdrawn [298] 1746<br>*Comm. July* 20—After long debate, Vote agreed to [299] 1264<br>Res. reported *July* 22 | 119,978 | 139,978 |
| COMMITTEE *July* 6—REPORT *July* 7 | | |
| (38.) Public Works Office<br>Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £36,111, be granted, to complete, &c." | | |

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| *Supply*—cont. | Vote to Complete. | Total Vote for 1885-86. |
|---|---|---|
| Motion withdrawn [298] 1747 | £ | £ |
| *Comm. July* 20—After debate, Vote agreed to [299] 210 | 36,111 | 56,111 |
| Res. reported *July* 22 | | |
| COMMITTEE *July* 6—REPORT *July* 7 | | |
| (39.) Record Office ... | 4,756 | 6,756 |
| (40.) Registrar General's Office ... ... | 11,126 | 16,126 |
| (41.) Valuation and Boundary Survey ... | 15,804 | 23,804 |
| Total of Votes Class II. | ... | £2,464,099 |

CLASS III.—LAW AND JUSTICE.

| | Vote to Complete. | Total Vote for 1885-86. |
|---|---|---|
| ENGLAND : | | |
| COMMITTEE *July* 7—REPORT *July* 8 | | |
| (1.) Law Charges | | |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to [298] 1913 | £<br>71,135 | £<br>91,135 |
| (2.) Criminal Prosecutions | | |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to [298] 1914 | 109,135 | 164,135 |
| (3.) Supreme Court of Judicature | | |
| Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £291,673, be granted, to complete &c." | | |
| Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £286,673, &c." (*Mr. Ince*); after short debate, Motion withdrawn | | |
| Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £287,673, &c." (*Mr. West*); after short debate, Motion withdrawn | | |
| Original Question put, and agreed to [298] 1918 | 291,673 | 421,673 |
| COMMITTEE *July* 14—REPORT *July* 15 | | |
| (4). Wreck Commission | 9,530 | 13,530 |
| (5). County Courts | 366,087 | 436,087 |
| (6). Land Registry | | |
| Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £3,442, be granted, to complete &c." | | |
| Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £1,442, &c." (*Mr. A. Arnold*); after short debate, A. 33, N. 75; M. 42; Vote agreed to [299] 744 | 3,442 | 5,442 |
| (7.) Revising Barristers, England | —— | 27,700 |

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| *Supply*—cont. | Vote to Complete. | Total Vote for 1885-86. |
|---|---|---|
| (8.) Police Courts (London and Sheerness) | £ | £ |
| Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £10,320, be granted, to complete &c.;" after short debate, A. 91, N. 24; M. 67; Vote agreed to [299] 754 | 10,320 | 15,320 |
| (9). Metropolitan Police | 294,840 | 544,840 |
| (10). Special Police ... | 28,000 | 38,000 |
| (11.) County and Borough Police, Great Britain ... | 988,343 | 990,343 |
| (12.) Convict Establishments in England and the Colonies | | |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 755 | 271,374 | 381,374 |
| (13.) Prisons, England | 351,930 | 471,930 |
| (14.) Reformatory and Industrial Schools, Great Britain... ... ... | 142,915 | 282,915 |
| (15). Broadmoor Criminal Lunatic Asylum ... | 20,417 | 29,417 |
| SCOTLAND : | | |
| (16.) Lord Advocate, and Criminal Proceedings | | |
| Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £39,093, be granted, to complete &c.;" Motion withdrawn [299] 755 | 39,093 | 64,093 |
| *Comm. July* 27—Vote agreed to [300] 176 | | |
| Res. reported *July* 28 | | |
| COMMITTEE *July* 14 REPORT *July* 15 | | |
| (17.) Courts of Law and Justice ... ... | 48,510 | 63,510 |
| (18.) Register House Departments | | |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 756 | 26,472 | 36,472 |
| (19.) Prisons, Scotland | 77,501 | 113,201 |
| IRELAND : | | |
| COMMITTEE *July* 22—REPORT *July* 24 | | |
| (20.) Law Charges and Criminal Prosecutions | | |
| After long debate, Vote agreed to [299] 1518 | 39,206 | 79,206 |
| COMMITTEE *July* 20—REPORT *July* 22 | | |
| (21.) Supreme Court of Judicature | | |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 1315 | 66,222 | 91,222 |
| (22.) Court of Bankruptcy | | |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 1317 | 7,500 | 10,000 |
| (23.) Admiralty Court Registry | | |
| After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 1318 | 785 | 1,285 |

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| *Supply*—cont. | Vote to Complete. | Total Vote for 1885-86. |
|---|---|---|
| | £ | £ |
| (24.) Registry of Deeds After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 1320 | 12,510 | 17,510 |
| (25.) Registry of Judgments ... ... | 1,538 | 2,338 |
| Committee *July* 22—Report *July* 24 | | |
| (26.) Land Commission After debate, Vote agreed to [299] 1575 | 53,677 | 78,677 |
| Committee *July* 24—Report *July* 27 | | |
| (27.) County Court Officers, &c. After debate, Vote agreed to [299] 1814 | 69,316 | 99,316 |
| Committee *July* 20—Report *July* 22 | | |
| (28.) Dublin Metropolitan Police (including Police Courts) After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 1321 | 90,817 | 145,817 |
| Committee *July* 24—Report *July* 27 | | |
| (29.) Constabulary After debate, Vote agreed to [299] 1829 | 880,091 | 1,380,091 |
| Committee *July* 28—Report *July* 29 | | |
| (30.) Prisons, Ireland After short debate, Vote agreed to [300] 360 | 108,441 | 158,441 |
| Committee *July* 24 Report *July* 27 | | |
| (31.) Reformatory and Industrial Schools After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 1855 | 56,150 | 101,150 |
| Committee *July* 20—Report *July* 22 | | |
| (32.) Dundrum Criminal Lunatic Asylum ... ... | 4,347 | 6,847 |
| Total of Votes Class III. ... | | £6,363,017 |

| Supplementary (included in the above sum) | £ |
|---|---|
| Committee *July* 27—Report *July* 28 | |
| (7.) Revising Barristers (England) | 2,500 |
| (19.) Prisons, Scotland ... ... | 5,700 |
| Committee *July* 24—Report *July* 27 | |
| (27.) County Court Officers, &c. ... | 3,000 |
| | £11,200 |

Supply—*cont.*

### Class IV.—Education, Science, and Art.

| Committee *July* 14—Report *July* 15 | Vote to Complete. | Total Vote for 1885-86. |
|---|---|---|
| England: | £ | £ |
| (1.) Public Education After long debate, Vote agreed to [299] 665 | 2,102,772 | 3,302,772 |
| (2.) Science and Art Department ... | 311,573 | 391,573 |
| Committee *July* 27—Report *July* 28 | | |
| (3.) British Museum ... | 106,333 | 161,333 |
| Committee *July* 15—Report *July* 16 | | |
| (4.) National Gallery | 6,464 | 8,964 |
| (5.) National Portrait Gallery ... .. | 1,630 | 2,630 |
| (6.) Learned Societies, &c. | 13,900 | 21,400 |
| (7.) London University | 8,484 | 12,484 |
| (8.) University Colleges, Wales ... ... | | 10,500 |
| (9.) Deep Sea Exploring Expedition (Report) | 3,627 | 4,627 |
| Committee *July* 22—Report *July* 24 | | |
| (10.) Transit of Venus, 1882 ... ... | 60 | 110 |
| Scotland: | | |
| Committee *July* 14—Report *July* 15 | | |
| (11.) Public Education After debate, Vote agreed to [299] 734 | 280,174 | 500,174 |
| Committee *July* 27—Report *July* 28 | | |
| (12.) Universities, &c. | 14,498 | 19,498 |
| (13.) National Gallery | 1,700 | 2,100 |
| Ireland: | | |
| Committee *July* 29—Report *July* 30 | | |
| (14.) National Education Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £466,303, be granted, to complete, &c." Moved, "That the Item £37,150, be omitted, &c." (*Mr. Sexton*); after short debate, Motion withdrawn Moved, "That the Item £37,150 (Books and School Apparatus) be omitted" (*Mr. Sexton*); after further debate, Question put; A. 26, N. 126; M. 100; Vote agreed to [300] 335 | 466,303 | 786,303 |

| *Supply*—cont. | Vote to Complete. | Total Vote for 1885-86. |
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| COMMITTEE *July* 20—REPORT *July* 22 | £ | £ |
| (15.) Teachers' Pension Office After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 1324 | 1,213 | 2,013 |
| (16.) Endowed Schools Commissioners ... | 470 | 670 |
| (17.) National Gallery After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 1325 | 1,701 | 2,501 |
| COMMITTEE *July* 28—REPORT *July* 29 | | |
| (18.) Queen's Colleges After long debate, Question put; A. 87, N. 29 ; M. 58 ; Vote agreed to [300] 306 | 11,128 | 12,628 |
| COMMITTEE *July* 20—REPORT *July* 22 | | |
| (19.) Royal Irish Academy After short debate, Vote agreed to [299] 1330 | 1,000 | 2,000 |
| Total of Votes Class IV. ... | | £5,244,280 |

CLASS V.—FOREIGN AND COLONIAL SERVICES.

| *Supply*—cont. | Vote to Complete. | Total Vote for 1885-86. |
|---|---|---|
| COMMITTEE *July* 6—REPORT *July* 7 | £ | £ |
| (1.) Diplomatic Services Moved, " That a sum, not exceeding £152,245, be granted, to complete, &c." Moved, " That a sum, not exceeding £145,245 &c." (*Mr. Labouchere*); after debate, Motion withdrawn ; Vote agreed to [298] 1747 | 152,245 | 232,245 |
| (2.) Consular Services Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £131,495, be granted, to complete, &c." Moved, " That a sum, not exceeding £131,465 &c." ( *Mr. A. Arnold*) ; after short debate, Motion withdrawn Moved, " That a sum, not exceeding £130,895 &c." (*Mr. A. O'Connor*); after short debate, Motion withdrawn ; Vote agreed to [298] 1760 | 131,495 | 191,495 |
| (3.) Slave Trade Services ... ... | 8,272 | 12,272 |
| (4.) Suez Canal (British Directors) After short debate, Vote agreed to [298] 1764 | 2,025 | 2,425 |
| (5.) Colonies, Grants-in-Aid Moved, " That a sum, not exceeding £21,566, be granted, to complete, &c." Moved, " That a sum, not exceeding £20,815, &c." (*Mr. Biggar*) ; after short debate, Question put, and negatived ; Vote agreed to [298] 1766 | 21,566 | 40,486 |
| (6.) South Africa and St. Helena Moved, " That a sum, not exceeding £24,690, be granted, to complete, &c." Moved to report Progress (*Sir G. Campbell*) ; after short debate, Motion withdrawn ; original Motion withdrawn [298] 1769 *Comm. July* 29—after debate, Vote agreed to [300] 455 Res. reported *July* 30 | 24,690 | 39,690 |
| COMMITTEE *July* 6—REPORT *July* 7 | | |
| (7.) Subsidies to Telegraph Companies ... | 17,300 | 35,300 |
| (8.) Cyprus, Grant-in-Aid After short debate, Vote agreed to [298] 1771 | | 15,000 |
| Total of Votes Class V. ... | | £568,913 |

SUPPLEMENTARY (included in the above Sum)

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|---|---|---|
| COMMITTEE *July* 27—REPORT *July* 28 | | £ |
| (5.) Colonies, Grants in Aid ... | | 10,920 |

CLASS VI.—NON-EFFECTIVE AND CHARITABLE SERVICES.

| | Vote to Complete. | Total Vote for 1885-86 |
|---|---|---|
| COMMITTEE *July* 14—REPORT *July* 15 | | |
| (1.) Superannuation and Retired Allowances | £ | £ |
| Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £230,710, be granted, to complete, &c." Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £220,710, &c." (*Mr. A. Arnold*) ; Moved to report Progress (*Mr. Sexton*) ; after debate, Motion withdrawn Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £220,710, &c. ;" A. 21, N. 92 ; M. 71 ; Vote agreed to [299] 758 | 230,710 | 460,710 |

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| *Supply*—cont. | Vote to Complete. | Total Vote for 1885-86. |
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| Res. reported *July* 15, and postponed; again considered *July* 20, and, after short debate, agreed to [299] 1332 | £ | £ |
| Committee *July* 15—Report *July* 16 | | |
| (2.) Merchant Seamen's Fund Pensions, &c. ... | 9,600 | 20,600 |
| (3.) Pauper Lunatics, England ... ... | | 478,500 |
| (4.) Pauper Lunatics, Scotland ... ... | 69,500 | 84,500 |
| Committee *July* 24—Report *July* 27 | | |
| (5.) Pauper Lunatics, Ireland ... ... | 13,200 | 98,200 |
| (6.) Hospitals and Infirmaries, Ireland ... | 12,747 | 16,747 |
| Committee *July* 15—Report *July* 16 | | |
| (7.) Savings Banks and Friendly Societies Deficiency .. ... | | 51,021 |
| (8.) Miscellaneous Charitable and other Allowances, Great Britain | 1,751 | 2,751 |
| Committee *July* 24—Report *July* 27 | | |
| (9.) Miscellaneous Charitable and other Allowances, Ireland ... | 2,371 | 2,971 |
| Total Civil Services, Class VI. ... | | £1,216,000 |

### Class VII.—Miscellaneous.

| Committee *July* 27—Report *July* 28 | Vote to Complete. | Total Vote for 1885-86. |
|---|---|---|
| | £ | £ |
| (1.) Temporary Commissions<br>Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £18,142, be granted, to complete, &c."<br>Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £17,942, &c." (*Mr. Whitley*); after short debate, Motion withdrawn; Vote agreed to ... [300] 177 | 18,142 | 26,142 |
| (2.) Miscellaneous Expenses ... ... | 3,868 | 6,368 |
| (3.) Repayments to Civil Contingencies Fund ...<br>Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £350, be granted, &c.;" after debate, Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £310, &c." (*Mr. Labouchere*); A. 23, N. 60; M. 37; Vote agreed to [300] 190 | 350 | |
| (4.) Registration of Voters, England ... | | 40,000 |
| (5.) Registration of Voters, Scotland ... | | 6,600 |
| Committee *July* 24—Report *July* 27 | | |
| (6.) Registration of Voters, Ireland ... | | 15,000 |
| Total Civil Services, Class VII. ... | | £94,460 |

### REVENUE DEPARTMENTS, 1885-86.

| Committee *July* 27—Report *July* 28 | Vote to Complete. | Total Vote for 1885-86. |
|---|---|---|
| | £ | £ |
| Vote I. For Salaries and Expenses of the Customs Department ... | 857,733 | 977,733 |
| Vote II. For Salaries and Expenses of the Inland Revenue Department | 1,643,157 | 1,823,157 |
| Vote III. For Salaries and Expenses of the Post Office Services, the expenses of Post Office Savings Banks, and Government Annuities and Insurances, and the Collection of the Post Office Revenue<br>Moved, "That a sum, not exceeding £4,254,659, be granted, to complete, &c.;" after short debate, Motion withdrawn [300] 180<br>*Comm. July* 29; Vote agreed to ... | 4,254,659 | 4,854,659 |
| Res. reported, and agreed to *July* 30 | | |
| Vote IV. For the Post Office Packet Service<br>After short debate, Vote agreed to [300] 181 | 553,781 | 753,781 |
| Vote V. For Salaries and Expenses of the Post Office Telegraph Service<br>After short debate, Vote agreed to [300] 183 | 1,259,816 | 1,839,816 |
| Total Revenue Departments ... ... | | £10,249,146 |
| Grand Total ... | | £28,064,111 |

Committee *July* 27—Report *July* 28

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| Afghan War (Grant in Aid) ... | £250,000 |

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| *Supply*—cont. | Total of Vote. |
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| COMMITTEE *April* 27—REPORT *May* 4 | |
| NAVAL AND MILITARY OPERATIONS, 1885-6 (VOTE OF CREDIT) | |
| (1.) For remaining charges in the Soudan and Upper Egypt<br>(2.) For special Naval and Military preparations ... ... | £11,000,000 |
| After postponement, Res. considered *May* 4 | |
| Amendment proposed, to leave out "£11,000,000," insert "£7,000,000" (*Mr. Labouchere*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That '£11,000,000,' &c.;" after debate, Question put; A. 79, N. 29; M. 50 | |
| Question proposed, "That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution;" after debate, Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Chaplin*); after long debate, Question put; A. 114, N. 181; M. 67 | |
| Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Baron Henry De Worms*); Question put; A. 111, N. 169; M. 58 | |
| Moved, "That the Debate be now adjourned" (*Mr. Sidney Herbert*); Question put; A. 106, N. 164; M. 58 | |
| Moved, "That this House do now adjourn" (*Mr. Brodrick*); Question put, and negatived; original Question put; A. 130, N. 20; M. 110; Vote agreed to [297] 847 | |
| COMMITTEE *July* 7—REPORT *July* 8 | |
| H.R.H. THE PRINCESS BEATRICE (MARRIAGE PORTION) | |
| Moved, "That a sum of £30,000 be granted, &c.;" after debate, Question put; A. 153, N. 32; M. 121; Vote agreed to ... [298] 1902 | £30,000 |

**Supreme Court of Judicature (Ireland) Bill**

(*Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman, Mr. Solicitor General for Ireland*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Feb* 19 [Bill 55]
*District Registrars of Court of Probate*, Questions, Viscount Crichton, Mr. Gibson; Answers, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman *Mar* 6, [295] 282
2R. [Dropped]

SURVEYOR GENERAL of the ORDNANCE (*see* BRAND, Hon. H. R.)

SURVEYOR GENERAL of the ORDNANCE (*see* DAWNAY, Hon. G. C.)

**Suspension of Evictions (Scotland) Bill**

(*Mr. Macfarlane, Mr. Dick-Peddie, Mr. Henderson, Sir George Campbell, Dr. Cameron, Mr. Barclay, Mr. Bryce*)

*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Dec* 1 [Bill 41]
2R. [Dropped]

*Suspension of Evictions (Scotland) Bill*
Questions, Mr. Macfarlane; Answers, Sir William Harcourt *Mar* 19, [295] 1704; *Mar* 23, [296] 230; Questions, Mr. Macfarlane; Answers, The Chancellor of the Exchequer *July* 20, [299] 1191

SUTHERLAND, Mr. T., *Greenock*
Ceylon—Lighthouses—The Basses Lights—Minicoy Lighthouse, [300] 1565
China—Navigation of the Shanghai River, [299] 1627
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SYKES, Mr. C., *York, E. R.*
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SYNAN, Mr. E. J., *Limerick Co.*
  Ireland—Board of Works—Payment of Drainage Instalment, Loughill, Co. Limerick, [296] 827
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TALBOT, Mr. J. G., *Oxford University*
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  Medical Relief Disqualification Removal, Motion for Leave, [299] 579, 584, 665; 2R. 1008; Comm. 1441; *cl.* 2, 1496, 1499; 3R. 1673
  Mercantile Marine — Pilots — Test of Colour-Blindness, [300] 1572
  National Education — A Royal Commission, [299] 1053
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  Registration (Occupation Voters), Consid. *add. cl.* [298] 393; Amendt. 394, 422
  Supply—Public Education, [299] 695

**Telegraph Acts Amendment Bill**
(*Mr. Shaw Lefevre, Mr. Hibbert*)
c. Motion for Leave *Mar* 24, [296] 537; Debate adjourned
  Debate resumed *Mar* 30, 1072; after short debate, Question put, and agreed to; Bill ordered
  Read 1° * *Mar* 31 [Bill 121]
  2R. deferred, after short debate *April* 17, [297] 121
  Questions, Lord John Manners, Sir Stafford Northcote; Answers, Mr. Shaw Lefevre *May* 14, [298] 490
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*Telegraph Acts Amendment Bill—cont.*
300] Committee; Report *July* 30, 554
  Questions, Mr. Alderman W. Lawrence, Mr. Puleston; Answers, Mr. Shaw Lefevre, The Postmaster General (Lord John Manners) *July* 31, 679
  Order for 3R. read, and discharged *July* 31, 809
  Moved, "That the Bill be re-committed in respect of Clause 2" (*Mr. Shaw Lefevre*); after short debate, Motion agreed to; Committee; Report; Considered; read 3°
l. Read $1^{a}$ * (*L. Mount-Temple*) *Aug* 3 (No. 230)
  Read $2^{a}$, after short debate *Aug* 4, 1026
  Committee *; Report *Aug* 5
  Read $3^{a}$ * *Aug* 6
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TENNANT, Sir C., *Peeblesshire*
  Parliamentary Elections (Redistribution), Comm. Schedule 3, [296] 345
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*Theatres and Places of Public Entertainment—Security from Fire*
  Question, Mr. Dixon-Hartland; Answer, Sir James M'Garel-Hogg *Nov* 20, [294] 45

**Theatres, &c. Regulation (Metropolis) Bill** (*Mr. Dixon-Hartland, Mr. Macfarlane*)
c. Ordered; read 1° * *Feb* 23 [Bill 67]
  2R. [Dropped]

*The Thames and the London Water Companies*
  Question, Mr. Labouchere; Answer, Mr. George Russell *Nov* 7, [293] 1211

THOMASSON, Mr. J. P., *Bolton*
  Criminal Law Amendment, Comm. *cl.* 4, [300] 715; Consid. *cl.* 4, Amendt. 1479
  Educational Endowments (Ireland), Comm. *cl.* 15, [300] 1905
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  Land Purchase (Ireland), 2R. [300] 1110
  Medical Relief Disqualification Removal, Comm. *cl.* 1, [299] 1475; *cl.* 2, 1488; Consid. *add. cl.* 1638; *cl.* 2, 1664

THOMPSON, Mr. T. C., *Durham*
  Criminal Law Amendment, Comm. *cl.* 2, [300] 614
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  Parliamentary Elections (Redistribution), Comm. Schedule 7, [296] 1657, 1662, 1809
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THORNHILL, Mr. A. J., *Cambridgeshire*
  Army—Senior Majors of Artillery, [293] 1221

THORNHILL, Mr. T., *Suffolk, W.*
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**Tithe Rent Charge Redemption Bill**
(*Mr. Sampson Lloyd, Mr. Cubitt, Mr. Monk, Mr. Vivian*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *May* 14 [Bill 181]
Read 2° *July* 7, [298] 1940
Committee *; Report; read 3° *July* 8
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Henniker*) *July* 9 (No. 165)
Read 2ª * *July* 14
Committee * *July* 16
Report * *July* 17
Read 3ª * *July* 20
Royal Assent *July* 22 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 32]

**Tithe Rent Extraordinary Limitation Bill** (*Mr. Daniel Grant, Sir Edward Watkin, Mr. Duckham, Mr. Borlase*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *May* 13 [Bill 177]
2R. [Dropped]

TOLLEMACHE, Mr. H. J., *Cheshire, W.*
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TOMLINSON, Mr. W. E. M., *Preston*
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- *Distress in Sunderland,* Question, Mr. Broadhurst; Answer, Mr. Hibbert *Nov* 20, [294] 39
- *Duty on Cured Herrings,* Questions, Mr. Marjoribanks, Mr. Birkbeck; Answers, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *Feb* 23, [294] 1041
- *France—Ship Brokerage,* Question, Mr. Charles Palmer; Answer, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *Mar* 30, [296] 979
- *Rails for Indian Railways,* Questions, Mr. H. H. Fowler, Mr. Carbutt; Answers, Mr. J. K. Cross *Oct* 28, [293] 339
- *Spain—The Commercial Negotiations,* Question, Mr. Monk; Answer, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *Mar* 30, [296] 979 [See title *Spain*]
- *The Consular Reports — Wages in Germany,* Question, Mr. Anderson; Answer, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *Nov* 6, [293] 1113
- *The United States and the British West Indies,* Question, Sir Charles Tennant; Answer, The Secretary of State for the Colonies (Colonel Stanley) *July* 28, [300] 250
- *The West of England Bank,* Question, Mr. H. S. Northcote; Answer, Mr. Chamberlain *Mar* 16, [295] 1242

*Trade and Commerce*
Moved, "That a Select Committee be appointed to join with a Committee of the Commons to inquire into the condition of the trade and commerce of the country" (*The Earl of Dunraven*) *Nov* 6, [293] 1044; after debate, Motion withdrawn
[See title *Depression of Trade and Industry, Royal Commission on*]

*Trade and Manufactures — The Output of Coal*
Question, Mr. C. B. M'Laren; Answer, Sir William Harcourt *Mar* 9, [295] 422

*Trade and Navigation Accounts—Importation of Cattle, &c. from Ireland*
Questions, Mr. Duckham, Mr. Newdegate; Answers, The Secretary to the Board of Trade (Baron Henry De Worms) *Aug* 4, [300] 1050

**Tramways and Public Companies (Ireland) Act Amendment Bill**
(*Mr. Parnell, Sir Baldwyn Leighton, Mr. Jacob Bright, Mr. Gray, Mr. O'Shea*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Nov* 14 [Bill 37]
Read 2° * *Nov* 17
Committee *; Report *Nov* 19
Read 3° * *Nov* 20
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord FitzGerald*) *Nov* 21 (No. 8)
Read 2ª * *Dec* 1
Committee *; Report *Dec* 2
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Royal Assent *Dec* 6 [48 *Vict.* c. 5]

**Tramways (Ireland) Provisional Order (No. 1) Bill** [H.L.] (*The Lord President*)
*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *Mar* 12 (No. 34)
Read 2ª * *Mar* 27
Committee * *April* 14
Report * *April* 16
Read 3ª * *April* 17
*c.* Read 1° * *April* 20 [Bill 131]
Read 2° * *April* 27
Report * *May* 21
Considered * *May* 22
Read 3° * *June* 4
*l.* Royal Assent *June* 25 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. xxx]

**Tramways (Ireland) Provisional Order (No. 2) Bill** [H.L.] *afterwards* **Tramways Order in Council (Ireland) Bill**
(*The Lord FitzGerald*)
*l.* Presented; read 1ª * *April* 13 (No. 65)
Read 2ª * *April* 28
Moved, "That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House" *July* 13, [299] 384; after short debate, on Question? Cont. 95, Not-Cont. 20; M. 75; resolved in the affirmative
Moved, "That the House do now resolve itself into Committee" *July* 16, 883
Amendt. to leave out all after ("That") insert ("the Order of Monday last for committing the Bill to a Committee of the Whole House be discharged") (*The Earl of Limerick*); after short debate, on Question, "That the words, &c.?" resolved in the affirmative; Committee, 888
Report *July* 17, 1051
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 3ª" *July* 21, 1370; Amendt. to leave out ("now") add ("this day three months") (*The Earl of Redesdale*); on Question, That ("now") &c.? Cont. 29, Not-Cont. 17; M. 12; resolved in the affirmative; Bill read 3ª
*c.* Read 1°, after debate *July* 22, 1593 [Bill 243]
Question, Colonel Colthurst; Answer, Mr. Biggar *July* 30, [300] 519
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**Tramways Provisional Orders (No. 1) Bill**
(*Mr. Holms, Mr. Chamberlain*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *April* 30 [Bill 143]
Read 2° * *May* 8
Report * *June* 12
Considered * *June* 15
Read 3° * *June* 19
*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. Beauchamp*) *June* 19 (No. 149)
Read 2ª * *June* 25
Committee * *July* 6
Report * *July* 7
Read 3ª * *July* 9
Royal Assent *July* 16 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. lxvi]

**Tramways Provisional Orders (No. 2) Bill**
(*Mr. Holms, Mr. Chamberlain*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *May* 8 [Bill 166]
Read 2° * *May* 19
As amended by Select Comm. [Bill 208]
Report * *June* 23
Considered * *June* 24
Read 3° * *June* 25
*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. Beauchamp*) *June* 26 (No. 156)
Read 2ª * *July* 9
Committee * *July* 13
Report * *July* 14
Read 3ª * *July* 16
Royal Assent *July* 22 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. cii]

**Tramways Provisional Orders (No. 3) Bill**
(*Mr. Holms, Mr. Chamberlain*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *May* 8 [Bill 167]
Read 2° * *May* 19
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Report * *June* 23
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*l.* Read 1ª * (*E. Beauchamp*) *June* 26 (No. 157)
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*North Sea Fisheries—Belgian Trawlers*, Question, Mr. Birkbeck; Answer, Sir Thomas Brassey *Mar* 30, [296] 990

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TREASURY—Secretary to (*see* DOUGLAS, Mr. A. AKERS-)

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295] 35, 313; *cl.* 2, 803; Schedule 1, 1610, 1612,
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296] 77, 83; Schedule 4, 477, 484; Schedule 5,
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297] Schedule 7, 53, 55; Consid. *cl.* 9, 992;
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*l.* 2R. postponed, after short debate *Mar* 5, [295] 47
  Moved, "That the Bill be now read $2^{a}$" (*The Earl of Leitrim*) *Mar* 23, [296] 198; after short debate, on Question? Cont. 16, Not-Cont. 42; M. 26; resolved in the negative

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  Committee *—R.P. *July* 15
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*Tunbridge Wells — Municipal Boroughs Incorporation Acts*
  Question, Sir William Hart Dyke; Answer, Mr. Mundella *Mar* 19, [295] 1696

**Turbary (Ireland) Bill** (*Mr. Lea, Mr. Thomas Dickson, Mr. Findlater*)
*c.* Ordered; read $1^{o}$ * *April* 30 [Bill 146]
  Bill withdrawn * *Aug* 7

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*Turkey—The Bosphorus and Dardanelles—Convention of Paris*, 1856, *and Treaty of Berlin*, 1878
  Postponement of Resolution, Lord Stratheden and Campbell *May* 4, [297] 1479
  Moved, "That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty for Protocols or Treaties by which the authority of the Sublime Porte to admit foreign ships of war into the Dardanelles is regulated" (*The Lord Stratheden and Campbell*) *May* 7, 1818; after short debate, on Question? resolved in the negative

*Turnpike Acts Continuance*
  Select Committee appointed, "to inquire into the Sixth Schedule of 'The Annual Turnpike Acts Continuance Act, 1884'" *Mar* 27
  Committee nominated as follows:—Mr. Wentworth Beaumont (Chairman), Mr. Beach, Lord Edward Cavendish, Viscount Folkestone, Mr. Lambton, Mr. Clare Read, Mr. George Russell
  Instruction to the Select Committee (*Mr. George Russell*) *May* 8, [298] 106

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(*Mr. Arthur Balfour, Mr. Stuart-Wortley*)
*c.* Ordered * *July* 7
  Read $1^{o}$ * *July* 8 [Bill 218]
  Read $2^{o}$ * *July* 9
  Committee *; Report; read $3^{o}$ *July* 10
*l.* Read $1^{a}$ * (*E. Brownlow*) *July* 13 (No. 174)
  Read $2^{a}$ * *July* 23
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  Royal Assent *July* 31 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. 37]

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  Submarine Telegraph Cables, Comm. [299] 1600; *cl.* 2, Amendt. 1601; *cl.* 3, 1602, 1603; *add. cl.* 1604, 1605, 1606

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**Ulster Canal and Tyrone Navigation Bill** (*Mr. Hibbert, Mr. Herbert Gladstone*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Feb* 19 [Bill 53]
  Bill withdrawn * *July* 20

*United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland*
  Question, Observations, The Earl of Milltown; Reply, The Marquess of Salisbury *Aug* 10, [300] 1528

*United States, The*
  *Bounty on Sugar Exportation*, Question, Lord Claud Hamilton; Answer, The Secretary to the Board of Trade (Baron Henry De Worms) *July* 23, [299] 1619
  *Import Duties on West Indian Sugar*, Question, Mr. Caine; Answer, Mr. Evelyn Ashley *Nov* 10, [293] 1379
  *Mr. Keely, the American Minister at Vienna*, Question, Mr. Sexton; Answer, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *May* 8, [298] 27
  *Treaty of Commerce—United States and Cuba*, Question, Mr. Tennant; Answer, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice *June* 8, [298] 1400

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**Universities (Scotland) Bill**
(*The Lord Advocate, Secretary Sir William Harcourt, Mr. Solicitor General for Scotland*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Mar* 27; short debate thereon, [296] 962 [Bill 115]
  2R. deferred, after short debate *July* 30, [300] 630
  Order for 2R. discharged; Bill withdrawn *Aug* 5, 1250

*University College—Indian Candidates*
  Question, Baron Henry De Worms; Answer, Mr. J. K. Cross *May* 22, [298] 1146

**University Education (Ireland) Bill**
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*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *Oct* 24 [Bill 6]
  Bill withdrawn * *Dec* 2

**Vacating of Seats Bill** (*Dr. Cameron, Mr. Grantham, Mr. Puleston, Mr. John Corbett*)
*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *July* 8 [Bill 221]
  2R. [Dropped]

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  *Hospital Attendants—Metropolitan Asylums Board Hospitals*, Question, Sir Lyon Playfair; Answer, Mr. George Russell *May* 7, [297] 1828
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*c.* Ordered; read 1° * *May* 20 [Bill 191]
  Bill withdrawn * *July* 20

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- Questions, Mr. Tomlinson ; Answers, The President of the Local Government Board (Mr. A. J. Balfour) *Aug* 12, [300] 1870

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- Labourers (Ireland) (No. 2), 2R. [300] 1265 ; Comm. *cl.* 18, Amendt. 1442 ; *cl.* 19, Amendt. *ib.* ; *add. cl.* 1443, 1444, 1445 ; Report, *cl.* 19, Amendt. 1549 ; Commons Reasons Consid. [301] 8

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*l.* Presented ; read 1ª * *Feb* 24 (No. 21)
  Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2ª" *Mar* 17, [295] 1418
  Amendt. to leave out ("now") add ("this day six months") (*The Lord Bramwell*) ; after short debate, Amendt. withdrawn ; Bill read 2ª, and referred to a Select Committee
  And, on *Mar* 20, the Lords following were named of the Committee :—E. Jersey, E. Stanhope, E. Camperdown, L. Elgin, L. Somerton, L. Shute, and L. Bramwell
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(*Mr. Holms, Mr. Chamberlain*)
*c.* Ordered * *April* 24
  Read 1° * *April* 28 [Bill 142]
  Report * *June* 12
  Read 3° * *June* 15
*l.* Read 1ª * (*Lord Sudeley*) *June* 16 (No. 137)
  Read 2ª * *June* 23
  Committee * *July* 6
  Report * *July* 7
  Read 3ª * *July* 9
  Royal Assent *July* 16 [48 & 49 *Vict.* c. lxv]

**Waterworks Clauses Act (1847) Amendment Bill** (*Mr. Daniel Grant, Mr. Torrens, Mr. Sclater-Booth, Mr. Arthur Cohen, Mr. Ritchie, Mr. William Lawrence, Baron Henry De Worms*)
*c.* Ordered ; read 1° * *Oct* 24 [Bill 7]
  Read 2°, after short debate *Feb* 19, [294] 886
  Order for Committee read ; Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair" *April* 22, [297] 426
  After short debate, Amendt. to leave out from "That," add "the Bill be referred to a Select Committee" (*Mr. Coope*) ; Question proposed, "That the words, &c. ;" after further short debate, Question put ; A. 147, N. 15 ; M. 132 (D. L. 122)
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*l.* Read 1ª* (*Viscount Enfield*) *June* 5 (No. 127)
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Moved, "That the said Standing Order be now considered" (*The Lord Bramwell*); after short debate, on Question? resolved in the negative
Moved, "That the Bill be now read 2ª:" Motion agreed to; Bill read 2ª, and referred to a Select Committee
And, on *July* 10, the Lords following were named of the Committee:—E. Milltown, E. Brownlow, L. Monson, L. Carrington, L. Hartismere, L. Sudeley
*July* 13, The Lord Saint Oswald *added*
Moved, "That the Petition of the several Water Companies who supply the Metropolis with water (the new River Company and others), presented on Friday last, be referred to the Select Committee, with leave to the Petitioners to be heard against the Bill as desired" (*The Lord Bramwell*) *July* 13, [299] 404; after short debate, resolved in the negative
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*c.* Ordered; read 1°* *Feb* 27 [Bill 75]
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## *WAYS AND MEANS*

Resolved, That this House will, upon Friday, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty *Nov* 5

Considered in Committee *Nov* 17

Motion made, and Question proposed, "That, towards raising the Supply granted to Her Majesty, in addition to the Duties of Income Tax granted by 'The Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1884,' there shall be charged, collected, and paid for the year which commenced on the sixth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, in respect of all Property, Profits, and Gains mentioned or described as chargeable in the Act of the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty's reign, chapter thirty-four, the following Duties of Income Tax (that is to say):

For every Twenty Shillings of the annual value or amount of Property, Profits, and Gains chargeable under Schedules (A), (C), (D), or (E) of the said Act, the Duty of One Penny;

And for every Twenty Shillings of the annual value of the occupation of Lands, Tenements, Hereditaments, and Heritages chargeable under Schedule (B) of the said Act, the Duty of One Halfpenny;

Provided always, That, with the view of securing the additional Duties and affording the proper rights of deduction in respect thereof in the case of Dividends, Interest, or other annual sums due or payable half-yearly or quarterly in the course of the said year, where one of the half-yearly payments or two of the quarterly payments shall have been made, the other half-yearly payments or quarterly payments shall be charged with the additional Duty of Two Pence for every Twenty Shillings of the amount thereof; and where three of the quarterly payments shall have been made, the other quarterly payment shall be charged with the additional Duty of Four Pence for every Twenty Shillings of the amount thereof

Provided also, That the charge under this Resolution shall be deemed to be satisfied by an addition of one fifth of the amount of the Duties assessed under 'The Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1884,' to such amount, and payment of such addition therewith"

293] (*Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer*), 1855; after long debate, Question put, and agreed to

Resolution reported *Nov* 19

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Ways and Means—*cont.*

Resolved, That, towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty, for the service of the year ending on the 31st day of March 1885, the sum of £2,049,000 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom

Resolution reported *Nov* 22

[See title *Consolidated Fund* (*No.* 1) *Bill*]

295] Considered in Committee *Mar* 19, 1845—Deficiencies 1884-5 £2,130,084 5*s.* 7*d.*—Services 1885-6 £10,804,750—Consolidated Fund

Resolutions reported *Mar* 20

[See title *Consolidated Fund* (*No.* 2) *Bill*]

297] Considered in Committee *April* 30, 1129—The Financial Statement

Moved, "That, towards raising the Supply granted to Her Majesty, there shall be charged, collected, and paid for the year which commenced on the sixth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, in respect of all Property, Profits, and Gains mentioned or described as chargeable in the Act of the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty's reign, chapter thirty-four, the following Duties of Income Tax (that is to say):

For every Twenty Shillings of the annual value or amount of Property, Profits, and Gains chargeable under Schedules (A), (C), (D), or (E) of the said Act, the Duty of Eight Pence;

And for every Twenty Shillings of the annual value of the occupation of Lands, Tenements, Hereditaments, and Heritages chargeable under Schedule B of the said Act,—

In England, the Duty of Four Pence;
In Scotland and Ireland respectively, the Duty of Three Pence;

Subject to the provisions contained in section one hundred and sixty-three of the Act of the fifth and sixth years of Her Majesty's reign, chapter thirty-five, for the exemption of persons whose income is less than One Hundred and Fifty Pounds, and in section eight of 'The Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1876,' for the relief of persons whose income is less than Four Hundred Pounds" (*Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer*); after long debate, Question put, and agreed to

Resolutions 2 to 6, inclusive, agreed to

(7.) Motion made, and Question put, "That, in lieu of the Duty of Excise now payable on British Spirits under the Act of the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of Her Majesty's Reign, chapter one hundred and twenty-nine, there shall be charged and paid the Duty of Excise following, that is to say:—

For and upon every gallon, computed at hydrometer proof, of spirits distilled in the United Kingdom, the duty of twelve shillings;

and so in proportion for any less quantity" (*Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer*); A. 109, N. 27; M. 82 (D. L. 143)

Resolutions 8 to 11, inclusive, agreed to

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WAYS AND MEANS—*cont.*

(12.) Motion made, and Question proposed, "That the Duties of Customs now chargeable upon Tea shall continue to be levied and charged on and after the first day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, until the first day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, on the importation thereof into Great Britain or Ireland (that is to say):

Tea . . . the pound . Sixpence"

Amendt. to leave out "Sixpence," insert "Four Pence" (*Mr. Arthur O'Connor*) *v.*; Question, "That 'Sixpence,' &c.," put, and agreed to; main Question put, and agreed to

(13.) Motion made, and Question proposed, "That on a day to be fixed by the Commissioners of the Treasury the Duties of Customs now chargeable on Wine shall cease and determine, and that on and after such day there shall be charged the Duties following (that is to say):— £ *s.* *d.*

Wine containing less than 30·1 degrees of proof spirit, and less of such Wine, the gallon . . 0 1 0

Wine containing less than 42 degrees of proof spirit, and less of such Wine, the gallon . . 0 2 6

And for every degree of strength beyond the highest above specified an additional Duty of 3d. the gallon" (*Mr. Chancellor of the* 297] *Exchequer*), 1252; after short debate, Question put; A. 98, N. 26; M. 72 (D. L. 144)

Resolution 14 agreed to

Resolutions reported *May* 1, 1446

Resolution 1 (Income Tax) read a first time

Moved, "That the Resolution be read a second time;" after short debate, Question put, and agreed to; Resolution agreed to

Resolution 2 (Stamp Duties on Account of Property), 1448; after short debate, Resolution agreed to

Remaining Resolutions agreed to

[See title *Customs and Inland Revenue Bill*]

Order for Committee read; Moved, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair" *May* 5 [House counted out]

Considered in Committee *May* 7, 1970

Resolved, That, towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ending on the 31st day of March 1886, the sum of £13,315,334 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom

Resolution reported *May* 8

[See title *Consolidated Fund* (*No.* 3) *Bill*]

*Customs and Inland Revenue Bill*

Moved, "That the Bill be now read a second time" (*Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer*) *June* 8, [298] 1417

Amendt. to leave out from "That," add "this House regards the increase proposed by this Bill in the Duties levied on Beer and Spirits as inequitable in the absence of a corresponding addition to the Duties on Wine, and declines to impose fresh Taxation on Real Property until effect has been given to its Resolution of 17th April 1883 and of 28th March

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WAYS AND MEANS—*Customs and Inland Revenue Bill*—cont.

1884, by which it has acknowledged further measures of relief to be due to ratepayers in counties and boroughs in respect of local charges imposed on them for National services" (*Sir Michael Hicks-Beach*) *v.*; Question proposed, "That the words, &c.;" after long debate, Question put; A. 252, N. 264; M. 12

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Moved, "That, towards raising the Supply granted to Her Majesty, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury be authorised to raise any sum not exceeding Four Million Pounds by an issue of Exchequer Bills or Treasury Bills" (*Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer*); after long debate, Resolution agreed to

1st, 5th, 6th, 12th, and 14th Resolutions [1st May] read [See title *Exchequer and Treasury Bills Bill*]

Considered in Committee *July* 29

Resolved, That, towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ending on the 31st day of March 1886, the sum of £45,361,227 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom

Resolution reported *July* 30

[See title *Consolidated Fund* (*Appropriation*) *Bill*]

### SUMMARY.

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GRANTS OUT OF THE CONSOLIDATED FUND.

| | £ | *s.* | *d.* |
|---|---|---|---|
| For the service of the years ending 31st March 1884 and 1885; viz. | | | |
| Under Act 48 Vic. cap. 2 ... | 2,049,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Under Act 48 Vic. cap. 6 ... | 2,130,084 | 5 | 7 |
| For the service of the year ending 31st March 1886:— | | | |
| Under Act 48 Vic. cap. 6 ... | 10,804,750 | 0 | 0 |
| Under Act 48 Vict. c. 14 ... | 13,315,334 | 0 | 0 |
| Under this Act ... ... | 45,361,227 | 0 | 0 |
| Total .. | £73,660,395 | 5 | 7 |

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